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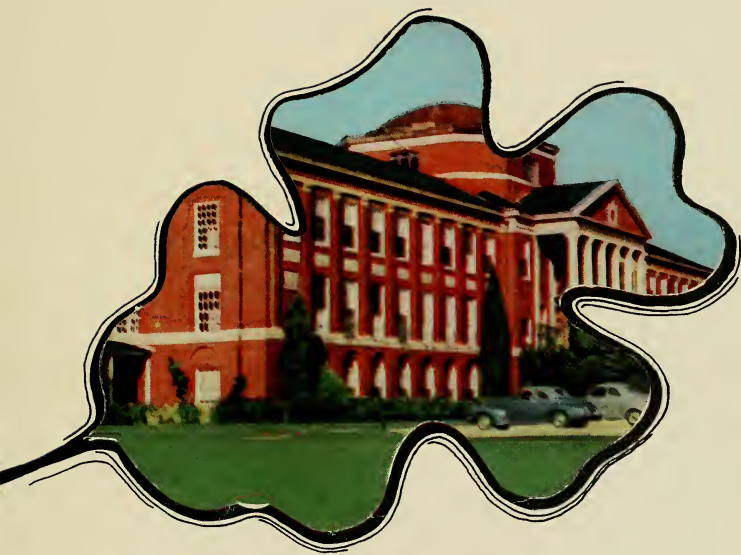
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The Yearbook of Meredith College
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Dedication

Not so much for the tangible as for the intangible joy which you have afforded us through the years; not so much for the results as for the undaunted efforts in achieving them; not so much for the person as for that spirit that has inspired so many; but most of all for the giving of yourself, for your untiring hours of service to the school in bringing to us the "gift of the gods"—we dedicate the 1952 volume of the OAK LEAVES to

MISS BEATRICE DONLEY





Miss Beatrice Donley

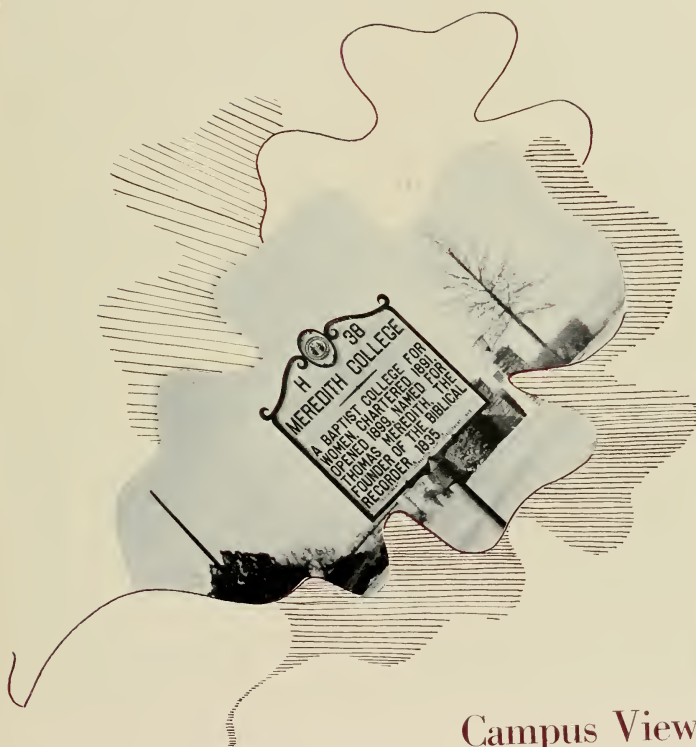
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Foreword

IN the past the OAK LEAVES has been presented to us in many different forms . . . a pictorial history of Meredith, Meredith at night, memories of Meredith tied together with the school songs, a typical day at Meredith, a diary, a scrap-book. This year the OAK LEAVES once again comes to you, not in any form other than that intended . . . a college annual to bring back to you in years to come forgotten faces; to restore to you forgotten memories—a book of cherished days gone by, and one, which I hope will ever remain dear to your hearts.

Contents

Now as you turn through these pages and watch the oak leaves fall, one by one may you be reminded of 1. The Campus; 2. The Administration; 3. The Classes; 4. Athletics; 5. The Activities: Organizations, Clubs, Honorary Organizations; 6. The Features; 7. The Candid Camera.



Campus Views





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The Grove



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To Meredith College Students



This review of the year 1951-52 at Meredith is treasured as a record of happy fellowship and worthy achievement, each deriving its real value from the other. We believe and hope that, faithful to the discipline and ideals represented herein, in the years ahead "You shall see greater things than these."

Cordially yours,
CARLYLE CAMPBELL
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Professor in Ancient Languages

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Instructor in Music

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Professor of Biology

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Professor in Physics and Chemistry



Scenes from Alice In Wonderland



Gryphon (Dr. Harris); Dormouse, Mad Hatter and Alice (Miss Hanyen, Dr. Canaday, Mrs. Kelman); Walrus and Carpenter (Mr. Pashwach and Dr. Tilley); Duchess (Miss Lemon); Tiddle-dee and Tiddle-dum (Miss Grimmer and Miss Bell); Fairy (Miss Whitaker); Rabbit (Dr. Wallace); scene of entire cast.



Classes

The Senior Class

Freshmen to seniors—how long those four years stretched ahead of us at first and how short they seem now. The years have dimmed the terrifying aspects of that first year with orientat on week, the mad rush for chaperones, and those frightening term papers, but have made them a part of our most treasured memories of Meredith. Winning stunt as sophomores; planning the Junior-Senior with the help of our “little sisters” as juniors; and wearing those long-awaited caps and gowns as seniors, make us reflect with pride on the part of our life which is completed. It is with a mixed feeling of sadness and eagerness that we leave to take our places in a new part of our lives, hoping to give to others something of that which Meredith has given to us.



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Class of 1952



LYNETTE ADCOCK
Oxford, N. C.

Phi

History and Government

Phi Treasurer 2, Chief Marshal 4; Student League of Women Voters 3, President 4; International Relations Club 3, 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; State Student Legislature Representative 3, Interim Council 4; OAK LEAVES Staff 4, Class Treasurer 4.

Adcock

DORIE ANN ATKINS
Raleigh, N. C.

Astro

Business

Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Committee for Religious Emphasis Week 3; Tomorrow's Business Women 3, 4, Program Chairman 4; Third Vice-President of Day Students 4.

BARBARA BALLENGER
Raleigh, N. C.

Astro

Business

Freshman Counselor 2; Third Vice-President of Day Students 2; Badminton Champion 2; Student Government 2, 3, 4; Tomorrow's Business Women 2, 3, 4; Transfer Counselor 3; Second Vice-President of Day Students 3, President 4; Nominating Committee 4; Sigma Pi Alpha 2, Secretary 3, President 4; Superlative 4.



Atkins



Ballenger

CAROLYN ALSTON BALLENTINE

Fuquay Springs and Fayetteville, N. C.

Astro

Sociology

Stunt 1; Art Club 2, 3; Sociology Club 3, 4; Hoofprint Club 3, 4, Publicity Chairman 3; Spanish Club 4; Education Club 4; May Court 3.



Ballentine

FRANCENE KING BARBER

Asheville, N. C.

Astro

History

Folk Dance Club 3; Student League of Women Voters 3, 4; North Carolina Student Legislature 3, 4; International Relations Club 3, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Astro Senior Marshal 4; "Mrs." Club 4; Dean's List.

BARBARA BONE

Nashville, N. C.

Phi

Voice and Public School Music

Choir 2; Freshman Play 1; Freshman Counselor 2; Glee Club 2; Sextet 2; B.S.U. Council, Music Chairman 2; Granddaughter's Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Folk Dance Club 3; Madrigal Group 3; MENC 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; OAK LEAVES Staff 4, Photography Editor; Class President 3; Nominating Committee 3; Sigma Alpha Iota 2, 3, 4, Pledge Vice-President 2, Vice-President 4; Superlative; Dean's List.



Barber



Bone

Meredith College

Class of 1952

EMILY PARKER BOONE

Jackson, N. C.

Phi

Education

McDowell Music Club 2; Chorus 2, 3; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Freeman Religion Club 3; Stunt 3; Education Club 3, 4.



Boone



MOLLY BRITT

Fairmont, N. C.

Astro

Education

Y.W.A. 1, 2; Education Club 3, President 4.



MARY EVELYN BROWN

Wallace, N. C.

Phi

Religion

Glee Club 1, 2, Secretary 2; Freshman Counselor 2; B.S.U. Council, Church Representative 2, Training Union Director 3, President 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Circle Leader 1; Religion Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 2, Secretary 3; Sociology Club 4; Little Theatre 4; Nominating Committee 4; Superlative.

Britt
Brown



ONA ALLENE BROWN

Asheboro, N. C.

Phi

Sociology

Freeman Religion Club 2; Colton English Club 2, 3, 4; Sociology Club 2, 3, 4; Education Club 3; *Twig* Advertising Staff, Typist.

O. Brown

POLLY SUE BUNN

Emporia, Virginia

Astro

Education

May Court 2; Psi Chi Club 2; Folk Dance Club 3; Y.W.A. 2, 3; Education Club 2, 3, 4.



CORNEIL BYRNE
Ft. McClellan, Alabama

Phi

History

Packer Collegiate Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1.



Bunn
Byrne

Meredith College

Class of 1952

EMILY BURDEN CASTELLOE

Aulander, N. C.

Astro

Education

Home Economics Club 1, 2; Education Club 3, 4; International Relations Club 4; Student League of Women Voters 4.



Castelloe

NANCY ANN CHEEK

Chapel Hill, N. C.

Phi

Education

Choir 1; *Acorn* Staff, Class Editor 2; Education Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Freeman Religion Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sigma Pi Alpha 2, 3.

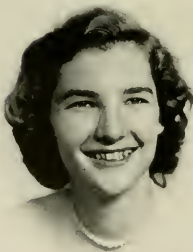
CAROLINE MERRITT CHILDRESS

Mount Airy, N. C.

Astro

Education

Converse College 1, 2; Saddle Club 2; "Mrs." Club 3, President 4; Dean's List,



Cheek



Childress



KATHLEEN CHRISCOE

Seagrove, N. C.

Astro

Business

Soccer Varsity 1; Basketball 1, 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3; *Twig* Staff 3, Chief Typist 4; Tomorrow's Business Women 2, 3, 4; President 4.

Chriscoe

SALLY SUE CLARK

Valdese, N. C.

Phi

Art

Freshman Counselor 2, 3; *Acorn* Staff, Assistant Art Editor 3; *Twig*, Art Editor 3, 4; Publicity Committee, Religious Emphasis Week 3; Phi Treasurer 3; Y.W.A. Hall Secretary 4; Education Club 4; Alpha Rho Tau 1, 2, 3; Silver Shield 4.

ELIZABETH ANN COOPER

Raleigh, N. C.

Astro

Education

W.C.U.N.C. 1; Aletheian Society 1; Colton English Club 2; Education Club 4; Hoof-Print Club 4.



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Meredith College



MARIE EDWARDS

Miss Meredith



SALLY MASSEY

Most Original

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Creech

KATHRYN ANNE CREECH

Four Oaks, N. C.

Phi

Education

Freshman Counselor 2, 3, 4; Chief Counselor 4; Hoof-Print Club 1, 2, Secretary 1, Vice-President 2; *Twig* Reporter 2; Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Tomorrow's Business Women 2; Student Government 3, 4; Nominating Committee Chairman 4; Education Club 4; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; Superlative; Dean's List.

JACQUELINE MARIE CREEF

Norfolk, Virginia

Astro

Voice

Basketball 1; German Club 1, 2, 3; Folk Dance Club 3; Freshman and Transfer Counselor 2; Astro Head Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Astro Council 4; Astro Music Director 4; Chorus 3, 4, Business Manager 4; Madrigal Group 3; Choir 2; McDowell Music Club 1, 4; Y.W.A. Hall Secretary 1, Devotional Chairman 2, Vice-President 3; College Head Cheerleader 3.

ROBERTA DAVENPORT

Alexandria, Virginia

Astro

History

Hockey Varsity 1, 2; Soccer Varsity 1; Softball Varsity; Hoof Print Club 2; Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; International Relations Club 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 3, 4; Education Club 4.



Creef



Davenport



Day

BERNICE DAY
Murfreesboro, N. C.

Astro

Hoof-Print Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Y.W.A. 2; International Relations Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Student League of Women Voters 2, 3, 4, Reporter 4; Education Club 4; Little Theatre 4.



Dillard

JANIE ELIZABETH DILLARD
Marion, Virginia

Astro

Marion Junior College 1, 2; Reporter Choir 1, 2; Student Council Treasurer 2; *Hatchet* Business Manager 2; *Twig* Reporter 1; Barber Science Club 3, President 4; Student Government 4.

Biology

MARIE LOUISE EDWARDS
Portsmouth, Virginia

Phi

Student Government Council 2, 3, 4, Sophomore Representative 2, Secretary 3, President 4; OAK LEAVES, Class Editor 1, 2; *Twig* Reporter 2, 3; Colton English Club 3; International Relations Club 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 4; Student Legislature 4; Committee of 100 3, 4; Silver Shield 3, 4, Vice-President 4; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; Superlative; Dean's List.

History



Edwards

Meredith College

Class of 1952

ASHA FARRIOR
Wallace, N. C.

Phi

Business

Class Treasurer 1; Y.W.A. 1, 2, Circle Leader 2, House Council; Tomorrow's Business Women 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Phi Marshal 2, 3; Chorus 3; Nominating Committee 4; Education Club 4; College Marshal 4; May Court 1, 4.



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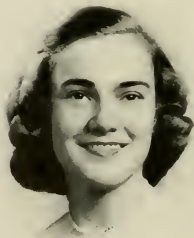


DOROTHY MOSS FISHER
Charlotte, N. C.

Phi

Business

Hoof-Print Club 1; May Court 2; Student League of Women Voters 3; Psi Chi Club, Publicity Chairman 3; Committee of 100 3; Transfer Counselor 3; Phi Vice-President 3; Student Government, Secretary-Treasurer, Summer School; Tomorrow's Business Women 3, 4; Nominating Committee 4; Chorus 4; Class President 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; Superlative.



FRANCES SUE FITZGERALD
Gretna, Virginia

Phi

Religion

Student Government Council 1, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Soccer Varsity 1; Hockey Varsity 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball Varsity 1, 2, 3; Basketball Varsity 1, 3; Speedball Varsity 2, 3; A.A. Board Secretary 2; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Freeman Religion Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Community Missions Chairman 3; Superlative.

Fisher
Fitzgerald



MARY FAITH FRYE
Orlando, Florida

Astro

Piano

Mary Washington College 1; Choir 2, 3; Chorus Accompanist 4;
Folk Dance Club 3, 4; Astro Chief Marshal 4

Frye

MARY RUTH GODFREY
Statesville, N. C.

Astro

Religion

Mitchell College 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Kirkpatrick Athletic Award
1; Student Christian Association 1, President 2; Historical Society 2;
Co-Business Manager of Yearbook 2; Student Government 2; Su-
perlative 2; Freeman Religion Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4; Monogram
Club 4; Hockey Varsity 4.



BARBARA ETHEL HALE
Loyall, Kentucky

Phi

English

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Glee Club 1; Scribblers Club 1, 2; Dean's
List 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2; B.T.U. 1, 2; Student Government Council 4;
Acorn Assistant Editor 4; Colton English Club, Secretary-Treasurer
4; Y.W.A. 3, 4.



Godfrey
Hale

Meredith College

Class of 1952

LOU GRIFFIN HALE

Raleigh, N. C.

Phi

Education

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Volunteers for Christ 1, 2; Clio Literary Society 2; International Relations Club 1, 2; Education Club 3, 4, President 4.



L. Hale

BOBBIE ANNE HALL

Roxboro, N. C.

Astro

Piano

Averett College 1, 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2; Zeta Sigma Chi 1, 2; Memo, Choral Choir 1; C.S.U. Council 2; *Chanticleer* 1, 2; *Pendulum* 1, 2; Modern Dance Club 1, 2; Chorus 3, 4; B.S.U. 4; MacDowell Music Club 4; Education Club 4.



Hall

VIRGINIA ELAINE HANCOCK

Siler City, N. C.

Astro

Education

Campbell College 1, 2; *Pine Burr* 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2; Business Club 1, 2, 3; Home Economics Club 2; Hoof-Print Club 3; Education Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.



Hancock



BARBARA COX HARPER

Galax, Virginia

Phi

Public School Music

Class Vice-President 1; Y.W.A. Hall President 1; Little Theatre 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 2; President 4; Committee of 100 1, 2, 3; McDowell Music Club 1, 2, 3; Student Government Council 2; Counselor 2; Phi Sgt.-at-Arms 2; Choir 2; Glee Club 2; Ensemble 2; Chorus 3, 4; Secretary 3; Colton English Club 2; Madrigal Group 3; M.E.N.C. 3, 4; "Mrs." Club 4; Nominating Committee 4.

Harper

DOROTHY HART

Salemburg, N. C.

Phi

Education

Pineland College 1; Theta Kappa Sigma, Secretary-Treasurer 1; B.S.U. Council 3; Freeman Religion Club 2, 3, 4; Education Club 3, 4; Folk Dance Club 4; Transfer Counselor 4; Secretary of Counselors 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Hall Program Chairman 2; Hall Devotional Chairman 4.

MARY EVELYN HENSLEY

Burnsville, N. C.

Phi

Education

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Clio Literary Society 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2; Softball Club 2; Student League of Women Voters 3; Chorus 3, 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4; Student Government Council 4; Class Secretary 4; Counselor 4; Education Club 4; Colton English Club 4.



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ASHA FARRIOR

College Marshal



DOROTHY FISHER

Most Attractive

Class of 1952



MARTHA HOLLAND

Caroleen, N. C.

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History

Freeman Religion Club 1, 2; International Relations Club 1, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 3, President 4; Sociology Club 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3; House Council 3; Student Government Council 3; Student League of Women Voters 4; North Carolina Student Legislature 4.

Holland

ANNE HOLLIS

Laurinburg, N. C.

Astro

Education

Mars Hill College 1; Y.W.A. 1; German Club 1; Education Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4.

VELMA ELIZABETH HOLT

Princeton, N. C.

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Business

Y.W.A. 1, 2; Tomorrow's Business Women 2, 3, 4; Education Club 4.



Hollis



Holt



Horn



Johnson

LOUISE HORN

Shelby, N. C.

Astro

Sociology

Hoof-Print Club, Officer 1; Sociology Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; *Acorn*, Assistant Business Manager 4; International Relations Club 4; Student League of Women Voters 4.

JEAN CAUSEY JOHNSON

Four Oaks, N. C.

Phi

Business

Soccer Varsity 1; Basketball 1, 2, Manager 2; Freshman Counselor 2; A.A. Board 2, 3; Tennis Manager 3; *Twig* Typist 3; Tomorrow's Business Women 2, 3, 4; Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Education Club 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Student Government Council 4, Social Standards Chairman.

JEANETTE WHITFIELD JOYNER

Asheville, N. C.

Phi

English

Hoof-Print Club 1; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Hall Program Chairman 1; Colton English Club 2, 3, 4, President 4; Freeman Religion Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sociology Club 2; Committee of 100 3; Social Emphasis Week Chairman 4; Student Government Council 3, 4; House Council 3, 4; Education Club 3, 4; Dean's List.



Joyner

Meredith College

Class of 1952

LEATRICE ELIZABETH KING
Richlands, N. C.

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Religion

Freeman Religion Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Colton English Club 2; Education Club 4.



King



MARY JANE KING
Nashville, N. C.

Phi

Education

Peace College 1, 2; Rho Delta Chi Society 1, 2, Secretary 2; Class Secretary 2; Sigma Pi Alpha 2; Stunt Night 2; Business Staff of *The Lotus* 2; Education Club 3, 4, Secretary 4.



IRIS CARLENE KINLAW
Lumberton, N. C.

Phi

Biology

Folk Dance Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Barber Science Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Colton English Club 2; Class Treasurer 3; *Twig* Business Manager 4; Education Club 4; Dean's List.

M. King
Kinlaw



Kinsland

LUCILLE ELLEN KINSLAND

Franklin, N. C.

Phi

Home Economics

Brevard College 1, 2; Home Economics Club 1, 2, Secretary 2; International Relations Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4.



EVELYN KRAUSE

Union Mills, N. C.

Phi

Education

Gardner-Webb College 1, 2; B.S.U. Council, Devotional Vice-President 2; Honor Society 2; College Marshal 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Hall President 3, Secretary 2; McDowell Music Club 3; Education Club 3, 4; Student Government Council 4; Dorm President 4; Dean's List.



HELEN ANN LEATHERWOOD

Bryson City, N. C.

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History

Sociology Club 2; Hoof-Print Club 2, 3; International Relations Club 2, 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 2, 3, 4.

Krause
Leatherwood

Meredith College

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LUCYANN LIDDY
Washington, D. C.

Phi

Religion

Freeman Religion Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Y.W.A. 2, 3, 4; Folk Dance Club 1, 2, 3, 4; *Twig* Staff 3; Stunt 3; B.S.U. Council 4; Colton English Club 4.



Liddy

VIRGINIA HARRIS McGRANAHAN
Raleigh, N. C.

Astro

English

Greensboro College 1, 2; Emerson Society 1, 2; Music Club 1, 2; G.C. Daughters 1, 2; Education Club 3, 4; "Mrs." Club 3, 4; Colton English Club 3, 4; May Court 4.

MARTHA UPCHURCH MARTIN
Raleigh, N. C.

Astro

Business

St. Mary's 1; Assistant Organist Scholarship 1; Glee Club 1; Orchesis 1; Peabody Conservatory 2; Johns Hopkins University 2; "Mrs." Club 3, 4, Secretary 3, 4; Tomorrow's Business Women 4.



McGranahan



Martin



JEAN MASON
Newport, N. C.

Phi

Mathematics

Granddaughters' Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sociology Club 2; Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Canaday Math Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Education Club 3, 4; Barber Science Club 3, 4; *Acorn* 4.

Mason

SALLY MASSEY
Raleigh, N. C.

Phi

Chemistry

A.A. Board, Freshman Representative 1, Treasurer 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Class Vice-President 2; *Acorn* Distribution Manager 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Hoof-Print Club 2, 3; Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Barber Science Club 2, 3, 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; Religious Emphasis Week 1, 2, 3, Treasurer 2, Chairman 3; Hockey Varsity 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball Varsity 1, 2, 3; Speedball Varsity 3; Silver Shield 3, 4, President 4; Kappa Nu Sigma Secretary 4; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; Superlative; Dean's List.

DOTT MILLER
Ahoskie, N. C.

Astro

Education

Colton English Club 2; Education Club 2, 3, 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; OAK LEAVES Business Staff 3, Associate Editor 4; *Twig* Reporter 4; A.A. Board, Swimming Manager 4; Sigma Pi Alpha 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Alpha Psi Omega 3, 4; Kappa Nu Sigma 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Dean's List.



Massey



Miller

Meredith College



BARBARA BALLENGER

Best All 'Round Town Student



JANE SLATE

Most Versatile

Class of 1952



J. Miller

JEAN MILLER
Burlington, N. C.

Phi

Voice and Public School Music

Class President 2; Choir 2; Glee Club 2; Sextet 2; MacDowell Music Club 2, 3; Committee of 100, 2, 3; Chorus 3, 4, Librarian 3, President 4; OAK LEAVES Staff 3, 4, Business Manager 3, Senior Class Editor 4; German Club 3; Madrigal Group 3; Creative Rhythms Club 2, 3; MENC 3, 4; Nominating Committee 3; Phi Marshal 4; Sigma Pi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4; Sigma Alpha Iota 2, 3, 4, Pledge President 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Kappa Nu Sigma 3, 4, President 4; Silver Shield 4; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; Superlative; Dean's List.

ALICE WARD MILTON
Hopewell, Virginia

Phi

Sociology

Averett College 1, 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2; C.S.U. Council 2; Red Cross 2; Sociology Club 3, 4; French Club 3; Y.W.A. 3, 4; *Twieg* Staff 4.

DRULYNN MORGAN
Spring Hope, N. C.

Phi

Religion

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Clio Literary Society 1, 2, Censor, Secretary 2; B.S.U. Council 2; Student Council President Summer School 2; Girl's Choir; Freeman Religion Club 3, 4; Sociology Club 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4, Chorus Treasurer 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4, Treasurer 4; A.A. Board, Social Chairman 4; Education Club 3.



Milton



Morgan



Morris

BARBARA ANGELIA MORRIS
Durham, N. C.

Astro

Voice

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Julliard School of Music Summer School; Music Honor Club 1, 2, President 2; Glee Club 1, 2, President 2, Student Conductor 2; Band Majorette 1; Nonpareil Literary Society, Pianist 1, Secretary 2; B.S.U. Council 1, 2; Chorus 3, 4, Librarian 4; MacDowell Music Club 3, 4; Madrigal Group 3; S.A.I. 3, 4, Program Chairman 4; Folk Dance Club 3; MENC 3, 4, President 4; Dean's List.



Morton

ZETA ELIZABETH MORTON
Jacksonville, N. C.

Phi

Mathematics

Barber Science Club 2, 3, 4; Canaday Mathematics Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Education Club 4.

JANE WEBB MURPHY
Asheville, N. C.

Phi

Art

Y.W.A. 1; Hoof-Print Club 1, 2; Alpha Rho Tau 1, 2, 3; Psi Chi Club 2; Little Theatre 4; Student League of Women Voters 4; Art Editor of *Acorn*.



Murphy

Meredith College

Class of 1952

NORMA LEE MURRAY
Burgaw, N. C.

Phi

Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Education Club 3, 4; Dean's List.

Education



Murray



JOAN NEIGHEORS
Benson, N. C.

Phi

Piano

Choir 2; Sigma Alpha Iota 2, 3, 4, Chaplain 3, Sgt.-at-Arms 4; Chorus 3, 4, Accompanist 3, 4; Kappa Nu Sigma, Reporter 4; Dean's List.



HONORE MAYME PARKER
Raleigh, N. C.

Astro

Sociology

Freeman Religion Club 2, 3, 4; Sociology Club 2, 3, 4, President 4.

Neighbors
Parker



P. Poole

PEGGY POOLE

Clayton, N. C.

Astro

Education

Alpha Rho Tau 1, 2, 3, Secretary-Treasurer 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 4; Freshman Counsellor 2; Astro Marshal 2; Hoof-Print Club 2; Education Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 4; International Relations Club 4; Little Theatre 4; May Queen.

ROSALYN LUCILLE POOLE

Dunn, N. C.

Astro

Education

Class President 1; Nominating Committee 1; Committee of 100 1, 2, 3; OAK LEAVES Staff 2, Photography Editor; Freshman Counsellor; Chairman of Seminar Committee 2; Little Theatre Pledge 1, 2; B.S.U. Council 2, Secretary; Student Government Council 3, 4, Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4, President in Summer School; Education Club 3, 4; Colton English Club 2, 4; International Relations Club 4; Bee Hive Committee 2, 3; Twig Reporter 3; Silver Shield 4; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*.



GRACE ELIZABETH POW

Cramerton, N. C.

Astro

English

Campbell College 1, 2; I.R.C. 1, 2, Reporter 2; Greater B.S.U. Council 1; Committee of 100, 1; Dramatecs 2; *Creek Pebbles* Staff 2; Student Legislature 2; International Relations Club 3, 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Colton English Club 3, 4; *Acorn* Class Editor 4; Committee of 100, 3.



R. Poole
Pow

Meredith College

Class of 1952

JULIA PRESSON
Charlotte, N. C.

Phi

Spanish

International Relations Club 1; Sigma Pi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, 4; Sociology Club 2; Psi Chi Club Associate Member 3; Colton English Club 3, 4, Vice-President 3; OAK LEAVES Staff 3; *Acorn* Staff 3, Editor 4; Spanish Club 4; Nominating Committee 4; Kappa Nu Sigma 4, Treasurer; Dean's List.



Presson

VIRGINIA RUTH PRICE
Clifton, N. C.

Phi

Home Economics

Brevard College 1, 2; Home Ec Club 1, 2; Folk Dance Club 1, 2; House Council 2; Woman's Athletic Association, 1, 2; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4, Circle Chairman 4; Education Club 4.

LOIS ODELL PRITCHETT
Fredericksburg, Virginia

Phi

Piano

Choir 2; Glee Club 2; Hoof-Print Club 2; MacDowell Music Club 2, 3, 4, President 4; Creative Rhythms Club 3; German Club 3; Student Government Council 4; House Council 4.



Price



Pritchett



ALICE JEANNE RAMSEY
Kinston, N. C.

Phi

Religion

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Clio Literary Society President 2; Mission Council 2; Classical Club 1, 2; Forensic Club 1, 2; M-Club 2; Volunteers for Christ 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Softball 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2; Hiking 1, 2; Dormitory Officer 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2; Dean's List; *Twig* Staff 3, Editor 4; Freeman Religion Club 3, 4; International Relations Club 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 3, 4; Nominating Committee 4.

Ramsey

MARY ALICE RANDALL
Spartanburg, South Carolina

Astro

Business

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Nonpareil Literary Society 1, 2; Business Club 2; Athletic Association 1, 2; Tomorrow's Business Women 3, 4; May Court 3; Dean's List.

IRMA BLANCHE RAY
Raeford, N. C.

Phi

History

Home Economics Club 1; International Relations Club 2, 3, 4, Social Chairman 4; Student League of Women Voters 3, 4.



Randall



Ray

Meredith College



ANN CREECH

Cutest



Most Intellectual

JEAN MILLER

Class of 1952



ANNE KATHERINE REAGAN

Asheville, N. C.

Phi

Education

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Clio Literary Society 1, 2; Scriblerus Club 1, 2; Volunteers for Christ 1, 2; Student League of Women Voters 3; Education Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Publicity Chairman 4; Counsellor 4; Dean's List.

Reagan

LANE ROBERSON

Washington, N. C.

Astro

Sociology

Sociology Club 2, 3, 4; Creative Rhythms Club 3; Education Club 4; Psi Chi Club 4; Student League of Women Voters 4.

MARTHA PATRICIA ROBERTS

Lenoir, N. C.

Astro

Organ

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Nonpareil Literary Society 1, 2; Orphean Music Club 1, 2; Glee Club 2; Sigma Alpha Iota 3, 4; Hoof-Print Club 3, 4; Choir 3; Chorus 4.



Roberson



Roberts



Rodwell

LYDIA VIRGINIA RODWELL

Charlotte, N. C.

Phi

Home Economics

Choir 1; Glee Club 1; International Relations Club 1; Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sigma Pi Alpha 2, 3, 4; Freeman Religion Club 3, 4; Education Club 4; Student Government Association 4; Dorm President 4.



Royal

MATEL ROYAL

Roseboro, N. C.

Phi

Education

Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Freeman Religion Club 3; Education Club 3, 4.

MARY ELLYN ROYER

Bishopville, S. C.

Phi

Education

Home Economics Club 1; Hoof-Print Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Chorus 2, 3; Education Club 3, 4; Colton English Club 3, 4.



Royer

Meredith College

Class of 1952

BARBARA CAROL SCHETTLER
Knoxville, Tennessee

Astro

History

Twig Staff 1, 2, 3, Feature Editor 2, Managing Editor 3; International Relations Club 2, 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 2, 3, 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2; Freshman Counsellor 2, 3; Colton English Club 2; Stunt 2, 3; N. C. Student Legislature 3, 4, Recording Clerk, House of Representatives 3, Interim Council 4; N. C. Collegiate Press Association 3, 4, Secretary 3; Nominating Committee 4; *Astro* President 4; Dean's List.



Schettler



MARGARET GRAHAM SCOTT
Haw River, N. C.

Phi

Education

Peace College 1, 2; Education Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4.



MARY JO SHAW
Raleigh, N. C.

Phi

Home Economics

Sigma Pi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 2, Foreign Service Chairman 3, President 4; Transfer Counsellor 4; Colton English Club 4; State Home Economics Club, Treasurer 4; Y.W.A. Hall Publicity Chairman 4; Dean's List.

Scott
Shaw



RUTH ANN SIMMONS
Martinsville, Virginia

Phi

Sociology

Committee of 100, 1; Freeman Religion Club 1, 2; Little Theatre 1, 2, 3, 4, Make-up Chairman 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4, Publicity Manager 4; Colton English Club 2, 3, Reporter 3; *Twig* Staff 1, 2, 4, Sports Editor 4; Education Club 3, 4; Sociology Club 3, 4; A.A. Board 4, Publicity Manager 4; Alpha Psi Omega 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Class Vice-President 4.

Simmons

MILDRED WALLACE SIMPSON
Beaufort, N. C.

Phi

Mathematics

Hoof-Print Club 1; Canaday Math Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Education Club 2, 3, 4.



KATHERINE ORA SITES
Hickory, N. C.

Phi

Education

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Hall Leader 1, 2, Secretary 4; Y.T.C. 1, 2; Volunteers for Christ 1, 2; Scriblerus Club 2; *Twig* Staff, Typist 4; Education Club 3, 4.



Simpson
Sites

Meredith College

Class of 1952

BETTY JANE SLATE

Burlington, N. C.

Phi

Voice and Public School Music

Hoof-Print Club 2; Choir 2; Glee Club 2; Sextet 2; Committee of 100, 2; Chorus 3, 4, Business Manager 3; Madrigal Group 3; Sigma Alpha Iota 2, 3, 4, Pledge Secretary-Treasurer 2, Treasurer 3, 4; MacDowell Music Club 3; MENC 3, 4; Little Theatre Pledge 2; Little Theatre 3, 4; Alpha Psi Omega 4; Class Vice-President 3; Folk Dance Club 3; Creative Rhythms Club 3; A.A. Board 3, Monogram Club 4; *Twig* Staff 3; OAK LEAVES Editor 4; Nominating Committee 4; Silver Shield 4; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; Superlative; Dean's List.



Slate

BETTY JO SMITH

High Point, N. C.

Phi

Voice and Public School Music

Hoof-Print Club 1, 2; McDowell Music Club 1, 2, 3; Little Theatre 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Choir 2; Chorus 3, 4, Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4; Sextet 2; B.S.U. Council 3; Madrigal Group 3; MENC 3, 4; College Songleader 3, 4; Committee for Religious Emphasis Week 3; Phi Society Secretary 3, President 4; Hall Proctor 1, 2, 3; Alpha Psi Omega 3, 4; Folk Dance Club 3; Nominating Committee 4; Superlative.

JANET HAZEL SMITH

Windsor, Connecticut

Astro

Home Economics

Vermont Junior College 1, 2; International Relations Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Choir 1, 2; Citizenship List 1, 2; Social Committee 2; Camera Club 2; Dean's List; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Student League of Women Voters 3, 4; Barber Science Club 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 3, 4.



B. Smith



J. Smith



BETTY SUE SPENCE

Raleigh, N. C.

Phi

Education

Campbell College 1, 2; B.S.U. Council Treasurer 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Education Club 4.

B. Spence

META MAY SPENCE

Overhills, N. C.

Astro

Education

Freeman Religion Club 1; Granddaughters Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Education Club 2, 3.

MARTHA POWELL SPIERS

Tarboro, N. C.

Astro

Education

Hoof-Print Club 1, 2, 3, President 2; Granddaughter's Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Chairman of Needlework Guild 2, Reporter 3; *Twig* Staff 2; Committee for Religious Emphasis Week 2; Colton English Club 2, 3, 4; A.A. Board 2, 4; Tomorrow's Business Women 2; Monogram Club, President 4; Education Club 3, 4; Psi Chi Club 4, Vice-President; Folk Dance Club 2, 3, 4; Counsellor 4; OAK LEAVES Staff 4; Student Government Social Chairman, Summer School; Dean's List; Chorus 4.



M. Spence



Spiers

Meredith College



SUE FITZGERALD

Most Athletic



MARY EVELYN BROWN

Friendliest

Class of 1952



B. Stallings

BARBARA ELAINE STALLINGS

Louisburg, N. C.

Astro

Education

Hoof-Print Club 1; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Education Club 3, 4; Counselor 4.

MARTHA LALLA STALLINGS

Winston-Salem, N. C.

Phi

Religion

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Clio Literary Society 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Y.W.A. 1, 2; Soccer Club 1; Archery Club 2; Orpheon Club; Education Club 1; Freeman Religion Club 3, 4, President; Chorus 3; Y.W.A. 3, 4; B.S.U. Council 4.

AMANDA LOUISE STEWART

Hamilton, N. C.

Phi

Public School Music

Mars Hill College 1, 2; Volunteers for Christ 1, 2; Y.T.C. 1, 2; Mission Council, Music Chairman; Glee Club 1, 2; Music Club 1, 2, President 2; Literary Society, Censor and Secretary 2; Chorus 3; Choir 3, 4; Religious Emphasis Week Committee 3; B.S.U. Third Vice-President 4; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Education Club 3; MacDowell Music Club 3, 4; MENC 3, 4; Sigma Alpha Iota 3, 4.



M. Stallings



Stewart



Strickland



Sullivan

PHYLLIS KELLY STRICKLAND
Raleigh, N. C.

Organ

St. Mary's 1, 2; Assistant Organist 2; Dramatics Club 1; Glee Club 1; Varsity Basketball 1; Varsity Baseball 1; Senior Skit 2; Salem College 3; Glee Club 3.

PATRICIA SULLIVAN
Nashville, Tennessee

Phi

Voice

Ward-Belmont 1, 2; Choir and College Octet 1, 2; Certificate in Voice and Piano 1, 2; Del Vers Society 1, 2; French Club 1, 2; Grinnell College 3; Women's Glee Club 3; Chorus 4.

LINDA ELIZABETH SWANN
Buie's Creek, N. C.

Phi *Public School Music*

Campbell College 1, 2; Epsilon Pi Eta Honor Society 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2; Student Volunteers 1; *Creek Pebbles* 2; Choir 2; Chorus 3, 4; *Twig* 4; Y.W.A. Officer 4.



Swann

Meredith College

Class of 1952

DWAN ANN SWINDELL
Washington, N. C.

Astro

Religion

Freeman Religion Club 1, 2, 4; *Twig* Staff 2; Y.W.A. Circle Enlistment Chairman 2; Sociology Club 3, 4; Transfer Counsellor 3; Astro Marshal 3; Student Government Council 3, 4; Dorm President 4; Astro Council 3, 4; Silver Shield 4.



Swindell



JANET TATUM
Coolceme, N. C.

Phi

Home Economics

Freeman Religion Club 1; Student Budget Committee 2; Class Secretary 2; A.A. Board 2; Granddaughters Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; *Acorn* 3; Folk Dance Club 3; Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Government Council 3; Dean's List.



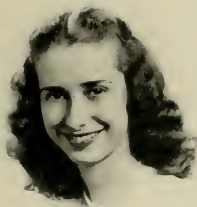
LIB TAYLOR
Chocowinity, N. C.

Astro

Business

Tomorrow's Business Women 2, 3, 4; Education Club 4; *Acorn* Staff 4.

Tatum
Taylor



DOROTHY THOMAS

Leaksville, N. C.

Astro

Religion

Home Economics Club 1; Glee Club 2; Chorus Vice-President 3; *Twig* Advertising Staff 3, Advertising Manager 4; Y.W.A. Literary Chairman 3, President 4; B.S.U. Council 4; Freeman Religion Club 3, 4.

Thomas

MARILYN MORRISSETTE UPCHURCH

Raleigh, N. C.

Phi

English

W.C.U.N.C. 1, 2; College Choir 1; Cornelian Society 1, 2; Sigma Pi Alpha 3, 4; Colton English Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; French Club 3, 4, President 4; Education Club 4; Dean's List.



MARY ANN WESTBROOK

Dunn, N. C.

Astro

Education

St. Mary's 1; *Stage Coach* and *Bulletin* Business Staffs; Chapel Choir 1; Glee Club 1; Y.W.A. 1; Mu Society 1; Choir 2; Chorus 3, 4, Librarian 3; Freeman Religion Club 2, 3, 4; Elections Official 3; Education Club 3, 4; Y.W.A. 2, 3, 4, Circle Devotional Chairman 2, Circle President 3; Student Government Treasurer, Summer School; Committee for Religious Emphasis Week 2, 3, 4, Discussion Group Chairman 3; B.S.U. Council, Program Chairman 3, Vice-President 4; International Relations Club 4; Silver Shield Secretary-Treasurer 4; Dean's List.



Upchurch
Westbrook

Meredith College



BARBARA BONE

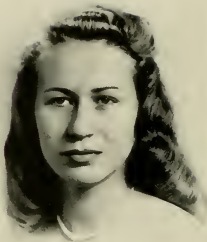
Wittiest



Most Popular

BETTY JO SMITH

Class of 1952



Whitfield

ANGERLANE WHITFIELD
Rocky Mount, N. C.

Astro

Piano

Flora Macdonald College 1; Chorus 3, 4; MacDowell Music Club 4.



Wicker

ELSIE BROOKS WICKER
Sanford, N. C.

Astro

Education

Y.W.A. 1, 2, 3; Hoof-Print Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Education Club 3, 4; Little Theatre 3, 4.



ELSIE JOYCE WILLIAMS
Fredericksburg, Virginia

Phi

Organ

Greater B.S.U. Council 1, 2; Committee of 100, 1; Sextet Accompanist 2, 3, 4; *Twig* Reporter 2; Photography Editor 3, 4; Choir 2; Chorus 3; Cheerleader 3, Head Cheerleader 4; MacDowell Music Club 4; House Council 4; Little Theatre 3, 4; Phi Pianist 2, 3, 4; Y.W.A. Social Chairman 2; B.S.U. Convention Organist 2, 3, 4.



LIBERTY BUNN WILSON
Raleigh N. C.

Mrs. Club 4; Tomorrow's Business Women 4.

Business

Williams
Wilson

Meredith College

The Silver Shield



Westbrook, Edwards, Creech, Slate, Massey, Smathers, Stallings

It is the aim of the members of the Silver Shield, honorary leadership society, to try to promote, "by example and by precept," devotion to the ideals of Meredith. For achieving this goal the society has no set program, but each year it strives in various ways to further the ideals of a well-rounded student life, a high type of Christian activity, and a high standard of honor and co-operation in the student body.

Membership is limited to nine senior members, some of whom are chosen in the spring of the junior year and some in the spring of the senior year. Two associate members are selected every fall from the Junior Class.



D. Miller



J. Miller
Neighbors

Kappa Nu Sigma



Massey
Presson

Those students who have achieved a high scholastic standing over a period of two years make up the membership of Kappa Nu Sigma. This society takes its name from the Greek words, *Kallos*, *Nous*, *Sophia*—beauty, sound-mindedness, and intelligence. In order to further the kind of scholarship expressed in these words, Kappa Nu Sigma sponsors a chapel speaker, an annual spring banquet and lecture, and the awarding of a scholarship to the freshman having the highest scholastic standing in her class.



Massey



Who's Who



Slate
J. Miller



R. Poole
Creech



Edwards

Junior Class

Our third year at Meredith has been the brightest yet. As juniors, we realized that our goals were nearer than ever before and at last, each of us could be a “big sister.” To help us get better acquainted, we gave our little sisters a party in October, and, though we had forgotten how many questions a freshman can ask about college, as big sisters we were delighted to supply answers from our impressive two years’ experience.

With typical enthusiasm we went to work on Stunt and Palio in the spring. Excitement from the colorful celebration had hardly left us before we were busily planning for one of the great events of our college years — the Junior-Senior Banquet. That evening already has a prominent place in our favorite college memories.

The significance of this year is shown not by any one event, but rather by the many varied activities we have shared. As a class and as individuals we have grown through these college experiences, and with confidence we look forward to the challenge of our Senior Year at Meredith.



BETTY ANN HIGHSMITH
PRESIDENT

BETTY ANN HIGHSMITH *President*
ELIZABETH HAMRICK *Vice-President*

CONNIE MOORE *Secretary*
VENETIA STALLINGS *Treasurer*



ALLRED, BETTY JEAN, South Boston, Va.; *Astro*



ANDREWS, FRANCES MARIE, Graham; *Phi*



BAIRD, MARTHA, Shelby; *Astro*



BARBEHENN, KATHERINE ANNA, Plainfield, N. J.;
Phi



BAUCOM, ANN ELIZABETH, Wilmington; *Phi*



BENNER, GLYNDORA, Carthage; *Astro*



BETTS, LILLIAN VANN, Ivor, Va.; *Astro*



BLALOCK, OLIVE GRACE, Kinston; *Astro*



BOWDEN, PENINA SLAVEN, Kinston; *Phi*



BRADLEY, EDITH JOSEPHINE, Scotland Neck; *Phi*

BRADY, ERMA CAROLYN, Raleigh; *Astro*

BRIGMAN, ALMA OLIVIA, Raleigh; *Astro*

BRIGMAN, DOROTHY EVELYN, Rowland; *Phi*

BROWN, ETHEL JOYCE, Elizabeth City; *Phi*

BRUTON, ANNE, Mount Gilead; *Phi*

BUENING, ADELE ANNE, Charlotte; *Astro*

BULLARD, JUNE ARDEN, Raleigh

BURCH, MARY, Charlotte; *Phi*

CAINES, MONA FAYE, Bolton; *Phi*

CANNADY, MELROSE, Bunnlevel; *Phi*





CANNADY, ELIZABETH ANN, Richlands; *Phi*



CASEY, MARY ANN, North Wilkesboro; *Astro*



CASSTEVENS, HELEN BETH, Shelby; *Astro*



CAUDLE, SARAH LOU, Aberdeen; *Astro*



CHALK, MARY EVA, Dunedin, Fla.; *Astro*



CLATT, SHIRLEY ELIZABETH, Myrtle Beach, S. C.; *Phi*



COLE, RUTH JEANNETTE, Fayetteville; *Astro*



COVINGTON, JOYCE KATHRYN, Rockingham; *Phi*



COX, BETTY LOU, Pamplico, S. C.; *Phi*



CONE, SARAH JESSIE, Wagram; *Astro*

CRAWFORD, NANCY ANNE, Hillsboro; *Phi*

CRYMES, ELLEN, Meherrin, Va.; *Phi*

DAVIS, LOUISE PATRICIA, Winston-Salem; *Phi*

DAWSON, BEVERLY JANNE, Charlotte; *Astro*

DIXON, ELIZABETH ANN, Mount Vernon Springs; *Astro*

DULA, JEAN BRADLEY, Kipling; *Phi*

DULA, PATRICIA DEAN, Durham; *Astro*

EARP, PEGGY HILL, Richmond, Va.; *Phi*

EDGE, MARY REBECCA, Aberdeen; *Phi*

ELLER, MARGARET JUNE, Chilhowie, Va.; *Phi*





ESTES, MARY BERRY, Chase City, Va.: *Astro*



FAUCETTE, ELIZABETH KENDRICK, Durham;
Astro



FINKLEA, BETTY JEAN, Pamplico, S. C.; *Phi*



FISHER, JOHNNIE MAY, Concord; *Astro*



FISHER, MARY IDA, Concord; *Astro*



FOSHEE, DIXIE VIRGINIA, Dunedin, Fla.; *Astro*



FRANCIS, BESSIE SUE, Waynesville; *Astro*



GARRETT, TREVAH LOUISE, Moyock; *Phi*



GEORGE, LOUISE, Raleigh



GODWIN, MARY ANN, Ahoskie; *Astro*

GOUMA, CLAIRY, Athens, Greece; *Phi*

HALL, MARY ELLA, Asheboro; *Phi*

HAMRICK, ELIZABETH ANN, Shelby; *Astro*

HARRIS, VIRGINIA, Vaughan; *Phi*

HART, ALLEN WILKINSON, Waynesville; *Astro*

HENRY, ELEANOR MINERVA, Hendersonville;
Phi

HENSON, HELEN CARTHAGE, Carthage; *Astro*

HIGHSMITH, BETTY ANN, Jacksonville; *Phi*

HOOKS, LYNETTE, Fremont; *Astro*

HOOTS, REBECCA ANN, Raleigh



The Class



HORNE, GWENDOLYN GREY, Atkinson; *Phi*



HOUGH, JULIA SOPHIA, Charlotte; *Phi*



HOUSE, NANCY ELIZABETH, Asheboro; *Phi*



HOWARD, HOLLY LEE, Winston-Salem; *Astro*



IPOCK, JUANITA FLORENCE, Ernul; *Phi*



ISSACS, MARY JO, Winston-Salem; *Phi*



JAMES, VIRGINIA CATHERINE, Waynesville; *Phi*



JOHNSON, WILLIE MABEL, Conway, N. C.; *Phi*



KING, EVELYN COLE, Seagrove; *Astro*



KING, MARION FRANCES, Henderson; *Phi*

KISTLER, NANCY LEE, Charlotte; *Phi*

LANGLEY, JOAN GORDON, Lynchburg, Va.;
Astro

LEOPARD, JEANNETTE ALICE, Waynesville; *Phi*

LIMER, BERNIECE WATKINS, Norlina; *Phi*

LONG, BETSY, Roxboro; *Astro*

LU, LILLIAN SUNG-HSI, Durham; *Phi*

MCGEE, BETSY BROOKS, Winston-Salem; *Phi*

MCGOWAN, KATHLEEN DAMERON, Faison; *Phi*

MCGUGAN, LOUISE ANNETTE, Cordele, Ga.;
Astro

MCLAMB, DORIS JEAN, Benson; *Phi*





MADDREY, EMMA JEAN, Seaboard; *Astro*



MASSENGILL, PEGGY ANN, Benson; *Phi*



MIDYETTE, BEULAH ANNE, Kinston; *Astro*



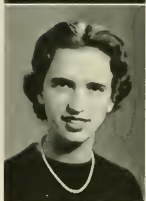
MILLICAN, SHELLEY HART, Roxboro; *Phi*



MIZELLE, BILLIE LOUISE, Charlotte; *Phi*



MOODY, FRANCES HARRIETT, Sanford; *Astro*



MOORE, MARY CONSTANCE, Myrtle Beach,
S. C.; *Phi*



NICHOLSON, MRS. SARAH RIDGELL, Ralciugh;



NOTTINGHAM, PHYLLIS, Exmore, Va.; *Astro*



O'QUINN, ANNE HOWE, Lillington; *Phi*

PALMER, MARY ANN, Jacksonville, Fla.; *Phi*

PARKER, LUCY VIRGINIA, Lasker; *Astro*

PARTIN, VIRGINIA ANN, Chadbourn; *Astro*

PENDEGRAFT, PATRICIA ANN, Waynesboro, Va.;
Astro

PERRY, DORIS MARIE, Elizabeth City; *Phi*

PHILLIPS, JOYCE ELLEN, Fort Mill, S. C.; *Phi*

RATLIFF, SUSAN ANN, Wadesboro; *Phi*

ROUSE, MARRIE GORE, Ralcigh

SCHRUGGS, MILLIE JEAN, Morganton; *Phi*

SEAGROVE, ANN DOUGHTY, Clinton; *Astro*





SMATHERS, PATRICIA KARYNE, Canton; *Phi*

SMITH, ELIZABETH MARSHALL, Bladenboro;
Astro



SMITH, IRMA LOUISE, Fremont; *Phi*

SMITH, SARAH LEE, Whitakers; *Phi*



SMITH, SARA LYNN, Raleigh; *Astro*

STAINBACK, DORIS ANN, Henderson; *Astro*



STANFIELD, MARY KATHERYN, Nashville; *Phi*

STALLINGS, BEULAH VENETIA, Jamesville; *Astro*



STALLINGS, ELMA JANET, Fayetteville; *Phi*

STELL, DOROTHY WIGGINS, Wake Forest; *Phi*

STEPHENSON, DAPHNE, Raleigh; *Astro*

STOUGH, SHIRLEY, Raleigh; *Astro*

TATE, MARY LOUISE, Salisbury; *Phi*

TAYLOR, CHARLOTTE VANCE, Raleigh; *Astro*

THOMAS, CAMILLE ANNE, Wilmington; *Astro*

THOMAS, NORMA KATHLEEN, Bryson City; *Phi*

THOMAS, SARAH ELIZABETH, Roxboro; *Phi*

TRIPPEER, MARION IRENE, Roanoke, Va.; *Phi*

WALLER, LOIS ESTELLE, Mount Olive; *Phi*

WALLIS, NANCY JO, Harrisburg, Ill.; *Astro*



The Class of 1953



WELCH, BETTY JO, Washington, D. C.; *Phi*



WEST, MARY JEAN, Waynesville; *Astro*



WESTMORELAND, ELLEN PEARL, Thomasville;
Phi



WHISNANT, MARY DUNN, Raleigh; *Astro*



WHITEHURST, ANNABELLE LEE, Elizabeth City;
Phi



WIGGINS, CHARLOTTE ISABEL, Dudley; *Astro*



WILLIAMS, META MAE, Kinston; *Phi*



WINSLOW, HARRIET ANN, Scotland Neck; *Astro*



WOOD, CELIA JANE, Troy; *Phi*



WRENN, JEAN, Siler City; *Phi*

Honored Juniors



SILVER SHIELD—Janet Stallings and Pat Smathers with Sally Massey, President.

KAPPA NU SIGMA—Elizabeth Hamrick and Shirley Cliatt with Jean Miller, President.

Sophomore Class

Once upon a time—in the middle of September—many sophomores arrived on the Meredith Campus to help the Orientation Week program which was quickly ended by the arrival of the entire student body. Remember how much fun it was to see all your old friends, to meet new ones, to decorate the room as you had planned during the summer, and to catch up on all the latest news in the jam sessions? Not long after we had settled down to our studies, the Corn Husking Bee, with its tall tales and its chicken calling and hog round-up, was in full swing. With the turn of the year and with Palio and Stunt just ahead, everyone worked hard in order to have good performances for the class. It was not long before the Sophomore Class Party was to us a memory, which could be labeled, “a good time had by all.” And then—spring was here with the May Court entertaining the Royal Queen. In June we watched our Big Sisters graduate and, with a small catch in our throat, but happiness in our hearts, we wished that they would “live happily ever after.”



PATSY BLAND
PRESIDENT

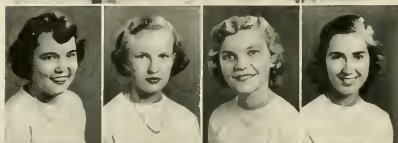
PATSY BLAND.....President
CAROLYNN LITTLE.....Vice President

ANN CLARK.....Secretary
PHYLLIS TRIBLE.....Treasurer

The Class



Addy, Roberta Ann, Stow, Mass.; Aldridge, Blanche Allen, Kinston, N. C.; Allen, Doris Irene, Smithfield, N. C.; Allen, Nancy Miriam, Cherryville, N. C.



Anglin, Elizabeth Reynolds, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Averre, Elinor Anne, San Jose, Costa Rica; Bailey, Mary Alice, Everetts, N. C.; Barbour, Melba Frances, Willow Springs, N. C.



Barnes, Marjorie Anne, Smithfield, N. C.; Barnes, Nellie Ruth, Charlotte, N. C.; Batten, Myra Jean, Selma, N. C.; Beddingfield, Cherrie Barnes, Clayton, N. C.



Belton, June Carolyn, Mount Airy, N. C.; Blalock, Sara Ann, Black Creek, N. C.; Bland, Patricia Setzer, Greensboro, N. C.; Booker, Mary Lou, Brookneal, Va.



Bowman, Frances Jacqueline, Hickory, N. C.; Braswell, Billie Anne, Mocksville, N. C.; Briggs, Dorothy Anne, Asheville, N. C.; Brown, Joanne Weathers, Southport, N. C.



Brown, Nancy Franklin, Wilkesboro, N. C.; Buchanan, Rebecca Jane, Dover, Del.; Bullard, Barbara, Raleigh, N. C.; Campbell, Norma Jane, Fieldale, Va.

Meredith

Burges, Thea Ann, Pinetops, N. C.;
Carter, Betty Kathryn, Reidsville, N. C.;
Champion, Ruth Moore, Raleigh, N. C.;
Chandler, Mary Ann, Graham, N. C.

Clark, Anne Johnson, Varina, N. C.;
Condrey, Jane Purdy, Enfield, N. C.;
Corbett, Virginia Brooks, Fayetteville,
N. C.; Curry, Irma Jean, Anniston, Ala.

Cutts, Luetta Jane, Stovall, N. C.; Dale,
Sarah May, Homeville, Va.; Dalrymple,
Peggy Jo, Raleigh, N. C.; Dean, Sally
Cooper, Louisburg, N. C.

Deans, Sylvia Tolar, Saint Pauls, N. C.;
Dickens, Barbara Jean, Mount Gilead,
N. C.; Draughon, Ann Burwell, Whit-
akers, N. C.; Edwards, Margaret Larue,
Raleigh, N. C.

Edwards, Sara Elizabeth, Savannah, Ga.;
Epley, Alyce Marie, Valdese, N. C.;
Galloway, Ruth, Supply, N. C.; Gamble,
Greta Joan, Greensboro, N. C.

Gardner, Betty Lee, Angier, N. C.;
Gardner, Lou Ellen, Pinetops, N. C.;
Garrell, Fannie Nell, Clarendon, N. C.;
Garris, Audrey Elizabeth, Goldsboro,
N. C.



The Class



Gillies, Margaret Palmer, Arlington, Va.;
Graham, Shirley Anne, Windsor, N. C.;
Green, Mildred Ivans, Tarboro, N. C.;
Griffin, Mary Jocile, Rocky Mount, N. C.

Hall, Carolyn Wallace, Carthage, N. C.;
Hampton, Dorothy Estelle, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Haynes, Rebecca Womble, Raleigh, N. C.; Hodge, Nellie Blanche, Raleigh, N. C.

Honeycutt, Martha Neal, Oak Ridge, N. C.; Honeycutt, Mary Ann, Raleigh, N. C.; Hunter, Elizabeth Irene, Cary, N. C.; Ipock, Ann Ward, New Bern, N. C.

Jackson, Caroline Lupo, Tabor City, N. C.; Johnson, Nancy McMillan, Tarboro, N. C.; Journigan, Mildred Jean, Henderson, N. C.; Kerlee, Wilhelmina Burnette, Black Mountain, N. C.

Knott, Doris, Knightdale, N. C.; Knott, Dorothy, Knightdale, N. C.; Lane, Betty Aileen, Greensboro, N. C.; Lane, Marjorie Ann, Selma, N. C.

Lennon, Eula Ruth, Boardman, N. C.; Little, Carolynn Joan, Concord, N. C.; Loftin, Pattie Marie, Weaverville, N. C.; Lovell, Ardelia Ann, Clinton, N. C.

Meredith

McMillan, Kathryn Doris, Fayetteville, N. C.; McRackan, Catherine Thomason, Southport, N. C.; McRackan, Rebecca Douglas, Southport, N. C.; Matthews, Jessie Melissa, Laurinburg, N. C.



Maxwell, Mary Gordon, High Point, N. C.; Miller, Betty Ann, Florence, S. C.; Mills, Shirley Gibson, Fayetteville, N. C.; Moore, Anne Carol, Raleigh, N. C.



Morgan, Bonny Lynn, Benson, N. C.; Morgan, Elizabeth Anne, Colonial Beach, Va.; Morrison, Lucy Kate, Roseboro, N. C.; Morton, Jean Evonne, Jacksonville, N. C.



Norris, Jacquelyn Ann, Raleigh, N. C.; O'Quinn, Patricia Davis, Lillington, N. C.; Oglesby, Lorette Hobbs, Hamilton, N. C.; Olive, Betty Lou, Apex, N. C.



Owen, Mary Elizabeth, Greenville, S. C.; Pace, Jean Shirley, Millbrook, N. C.; Page, Fallie Doris, Morrisville, N. C.; Parker, Secunda Clyde, Raleigh, N. C.



Pate, Sarah Ann, New Bern, N. C.; Phillips, Hazel Rae, Scotland Neck, N. C.; Prickett, Dorothy Lucille, Burlington, N. C.; Propst, Barbara Anne, Charlotte, N. C.



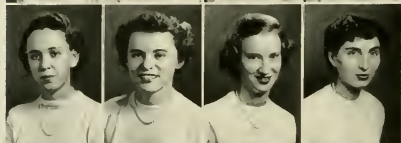
The Class



Pulley, Doris Madeline, Ivor, Va.; Quay, Margaret Anne, Harrisburg, N. C.; Raynor, Theresa Julia, Powellsville, N. C.; Reid, Mary Bryan, Whitakers, N. C.



Renfro, Martha Alice, Wendell, N. C.; Rice, Barbara Anne, Rocky Mount, N. C.; Rummage, Mary Rose, Albemarle, N. C.; Salter, Alstine Fay, Bass River, Mass.



Sanderlin, Betty Joyce, Windsor, N. C.; Sawyer, Cecilia Carolyn, Bellcross, N. C.; Scott, Jeannette, Wilmington, N. C.; Seate, Jane Scales, Wilson, N. C.



Smith, Betty Louise, Holland, Va.; Spivey, Mary Olive, Wilson, N. C.; Stephens, Mary Louise, Raleigh, N. C.; Stewart, Margelee, Lillington, N. C.



Stone, Mary Brooks, Shelby, N. C.; Sugg, Sallie Kay, Snow Hill, N. C.; Swanzey, Frances Charleen, Charlotte, N. C.; Taylor, Dorothy Ann, Raleigh, N. C.



Teachey, Emma Grey, Rose Hill, N. C.; Tribble, Phyllis Lou, Richmond, Va.; Turpin, Lois Winston, Hopewell, Va.; Upchurch, Mary Ellen, Durham, N. C.

Meredith

Walker, Ethel Fay, Halifax, N. C.;
Wallace, Evelyn Richardson, Star,
N. C.; Warrick, Mary Jane, Smithfield,
N. C.; Waynick, Katherine Evangeline,
Weldon, N. C.

Wells, Celia Townsend, Florence, S. C.;
West, Shirley, Currituck, N. C.; White,
Barbara Dee, Franklinton, N. C.; White,
Bernice Lucretia, Hobbsville, N. C.

White, Dorothy Elizabeth, Fayetteville,
N. C.; White, Ruthanna, Fayetteville,
N. C.; Willcox, Mary Ruth, Enfield,
N. C.; Willetts, Verna Arlene, Winna-
bow, N. C.

Williams, Deloris Ann, Charlotte, N. C.;
Williamson, Jane Elizabeth, Clinton,
N. C.; Witherington, Janis, Vanceboro,
N. C.; Wooten, Lillian Elizabeth, Prince-
ton, N. C.



The Freshman Class

We can still vividly remember the eager anticipation with which we awaited our first weekend at home; the warm intimacies of family life were constantly diverting our thoughts from our new college experiences. But during the year we have found a place in a new family; and now, as we pass the fountain, Johnson Hall, the auditorium, and the Bee-Hive, a thousand happy times come to mind, and we say, "We can't wait till we come home to Meredith in the fall!"



NANCY DOHERTY
PRESIDENT

CLASS OFFICERS

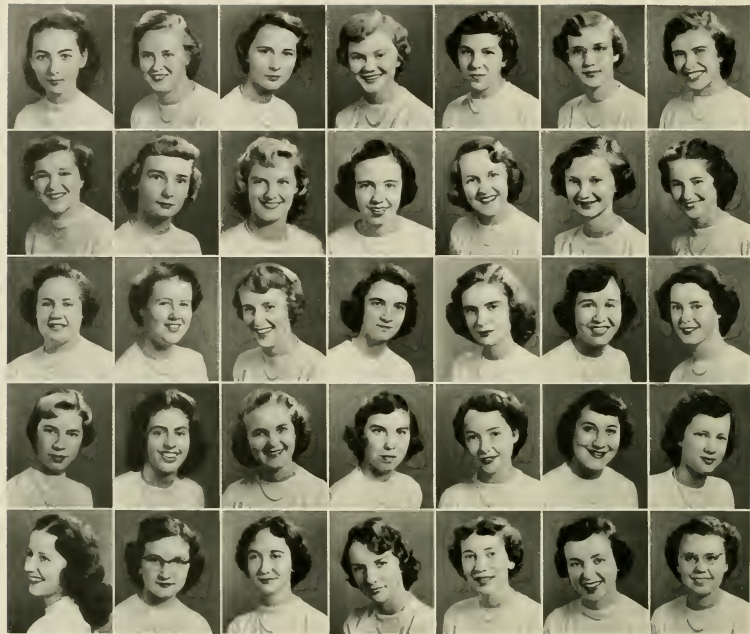
President NANCY DOHERTY

Secretary BETTY JEAN WELLS

Vice-President JENNIE BARBOUR

Treasurer PATSY CROMARTIE

The Class



Row one:

Adams, Annie Inez, Raleigh; Adams, Emily De, La Grange; Allen, Dessie Joan, Lincoln; Allen, Patricia Anne, Rockingham; Allen, Ruth Jeanne, Creedmoor; Aman, Sylva Dale, Dunn; Andrews, Barbara Martin, Pittsboro.

Row three:

Bell, Mary Lou, Rocky Mount; Bennett, Peggy Ross, Raleigh; Best, Elizabeth Ann, Goldsboro; Blankenship, Marjorie Allen, Charlotte; Boland, Elizabeth Anne, Burlington; Boone, Evelyn Carole, Scotland Neck; Bradshaw, Jettie Rea, Gastonia.

Row five:

Byrd, Barbara Katherine, Durham; Callahan, Betsy Jean, Baskerville, Va.; Calloway, Rebecca Anne, Concord; Carpenter, Phyllis Lucille, Kinston; Carr, Edna Frances, Plymouth; Carson, Marianne, Greensboro; Caudle, Annette, Peachland.

Row two:

Andrews, Gladys Karen, Fuquay Springs; Bailey, Barbara, Wilmington; Bailey, Joyce Ann, Benson; Ball, Betty Joan, Scotland Neck; Barbour, Jennie Ruth, Dunn; Barbrey, Anne Jane, Clinton; Barnhardt, Rebecca, New Bern.

Row four:

Bristol, Myra Clarissa, Edisto Beach, S. C.; Brock, Jo Bond, Conway, S. C.; Brown, Betty Carolyn, Florence, S. C.; Bryan, Sallie Margaret, Newton Grove; Bryson, Helen, Rome, Ga.; Burkhalter, Frances LouJean, Nashville; Burns, Joyce Anne, Siler City.

Meredith

Row one:

Causey, Joyce Anne, Tarboro; Clemmons, Hazel Kathleen, Supply; Cochrane, Anna Katherine, West End; Colby, Helen Eileen, Charlotte; Cook, Grace Sheldon, New Bern; Cottle, Kathryn Jane, Rose Hill; Cottrell, Ruth Ernestine, Lenoir.

Row two:

Cromartie, Patricia Blanche, Dunn; Currin, Katie Lee, Roxboro; Davis, Ellen Ruth, Erwin; Delbridge, Mary Elizabeth, Spring Hope; Dickens, Mary Cobb, Nashville; Doherty, Nancy Ellen, New Bern; Dorman, Edith Rose, Smithfield.

Row three:

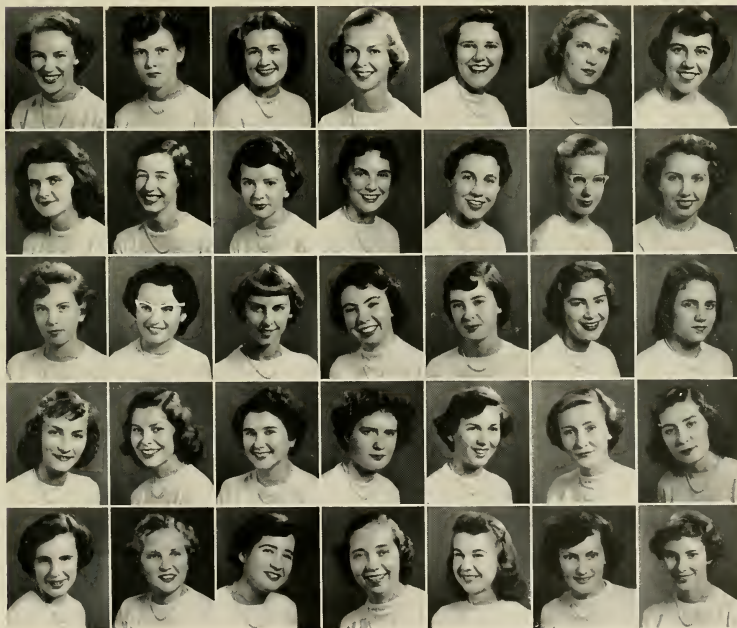
Drake, Sallie Linn, Washington, D. C.; Faires, Kathryn Jane, Charlotte; Fisher, Virginia Seleta, Whitakers; Forbes, Wilma Jean, Morrisville; Getzen, Dolly Florence, Dade City, Fla.; Goodyear, Sara Lloyd, Tryon; Green, Barbara Madeline, Philadelphia, Pa.

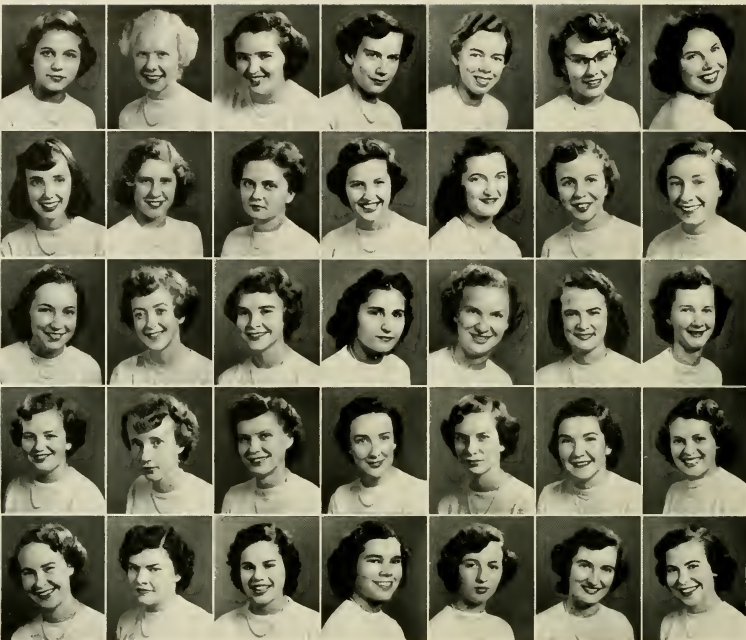
Row four:

Greene, Cora Ann, West End; Griffin, Lou Ann, Shawboro; Haithwaite, Sally Joan, Rome, N. Y.; Hall, Nancy Mae, Roxboro; Hall, Nina Jean, Lexington; Hall, Phoebe Anne, Mt. Ulla; Hamrick, Galena Ann, Boiling Springs.

Row five:

Harrill, Barbara Caroline, Lincolnton; Hinson, Dorothy, Fair Bluff; Hinson, Vernon Lee, Fair Bluff; Ingram, Margaret McNeil, Lilesville; Johnston, Kay Frances, Nashville; Jones, Anne Amelia, Polkton; Joyner, Celia Frances, Rocky Mount.





Row one:

Joyner, Georganne, Winston-Salem; Kelly, Sarah Virginia, Spencer; King, Helen Lina, Troy; Knight, Margaret Lowe, Whitakers; Lane, Mary Elizabeth, Camp Lejeune; Langdon, Sara Johanna, Monroe; Langston, Ruth Joyce, Newton Grove.

Row two:

Laxton, Ann, Durham; Leary, Lillian Webb, Edenton; McArthur, Margaret Marsh, Fayetteville; McConnell, Jean Ava, Raleigh; McGinnis, Nancy Carolyn, Ellenboro; McKay, Shirley Ann, South Mill; McLean, Beatrice Shirley, Maxton.

Row three:

McLean, Margaret Ophelia, Maxton; McNeill, Martha Jane, Camp Lejeune; Mahler, Cynthia Ann, Tarboro; Mallos, Georgia Ann, Raleigh; Mangum, Sarah Gene, Stem; Martin, Mary Earline, Eagle Springs; Mayton, Gladys Daphine, Durham.

Row four:

Melvin, Lela Mae, Harrells; Melvin, Patty Ray, Harrells; Mitchell, Lucy Virginia, Youngsville; Moore, Betty Frances, Spencer; Moore, Dora Ellen, Belmont; Moore, Mary Dare, Salisbury; Murphy, Patricia Westbrook, Asheville.

Row five:

Murray, Helen Jane, Burgaw; O'Neal, Billie Jean, Wilmington; Overton, Martha Louise, Hendersonville; Owen, Edna Lou, Roseboro; Patterson, Frances Jean, Kenansville; Peterson, Mona Blanche, Wilmington; Peterson, Sandra Jean, Clinton.

Row one:

Porter, Betty Jane, Jefferson; Prince, Joyce, Raleigh; Pruitt, Rose Marie, Raleigh; Riddick, Lula Carolyn, New Bern; Royster, Mary Louise, Shelby; Rucker, Emma Sue, Shelby; Rudisill, Jan Deloris, Lincolnton.

Row two:

Salmon, Emily Anne, Rome, Ga.; Scarborough, Leah Olive, Mt. Gilead; Simmons, Mary Alice, Roseboro; Small, Mildred Ann, Edenton; Smithwick, Velma Dwaine, Ponzer; Sneeden, Effie Irene, Wilmington; Snow, Martha Caroline, Raleigh.

Row three:

Spell, Alice Johnson, Clinton; Spence, Sara Jane, Greensboro; Spencer, Evelyn Gertrude, Raleigh; Stanley, Vivian Delores, Clarendon; Staples, Lorna Lee, Belcross; Stephens, Joyce Lynn, Whiteville; Strickland, Doris May, Supply.

Row four:

Suiter, Mary Jo, Ahoskie; Sylvester, Virginia Nannette, Elizabeth City; Thomas, June Carolyn, Raleigh; Triplett, Gwyn, Lenoir; Tyson, Anna Ruth, Farmville; Upchurch, Rebekah Williams, Raleigh; Walker, Marjorie Jean, Gastonia.

Row five:

Weaver, Arelia Ann, Hopewell, Va.; Weaver, Sarah Page, Raleigh; Wiggins, Ruby Doris, Fayetteville; Wiggs, Hortense, Smithfield; Williams, Lois Ann, Clarendon; Wood, Carolyn Marie, Troy.



Scenes of '51



Class Day; Swimming; Dot Cutts, May Queen; Crowning the King of Play Day (Mr. Simmons); Dr. Cooper in Commencement Recital; Faculty vs Students in Softball on Play Day; Yes, it rained on May Day.



Athletics

Athletic Association



SALLY MASSEY
President

The Meredith College Athletic Association has as its aims the development of a sound mind in a sound body, the promotion of happiness through health, the development of fair play and good sportsmanship, and the promotion of skills in wholesome leisure time activities.

The membership of the Athletic Association consists of the entire student body, with a board of twenty members, chosen for knowledge of, and proficiency in, the various sports. Miss Doris Peterson, Director of Health and Physical Education, Miss Phyllis Cunningham and Mrs. Katherine Adams, instructors in Physical Education serve as faculty advisers.

Besides conducting a full program of competition in the many seasonal sports, the A.A. also sponsors such all-campus projects as the Monogram Club, Palio, Stunt Night, Christmas Caroling, The Folk Dance Concert, Faculty-Student Play Day, Posture Week, the Corn Huskin' Bee, the Horse Show, and May Day.





MABEL JOHNSON
Archery Tournament



JOYCE BAILEY
Freshman Hockey Stick

A. A. Awards



SHIRLEY CLIATT
Horsemanship



HOPE HODGES
Cunningham Trophy and Best-All-Round Athlete '51

Hockey



CHAMPION



FITZGERALD

MANAGER
BONNY MORGAN



MORGAN



GODFREY



COVINGTON



HOUSE



WILLIAMSON



MASSEY



PACE



LOVELL



FRANCIS

Softball 1951



Basketball 1951



Soccer



PACE



McRACKAN

MANAGER
B. A. ALDRIDGE



ALDRIDGE



LOVELL



FRANCIS



CHAMPION



JAMES



FITZGERALD



GODFREY



SALTER



McRACKAN



Monogram Club

PATSY SPIERS, *President*



Swimming

DOTT MILLER, *Manager*



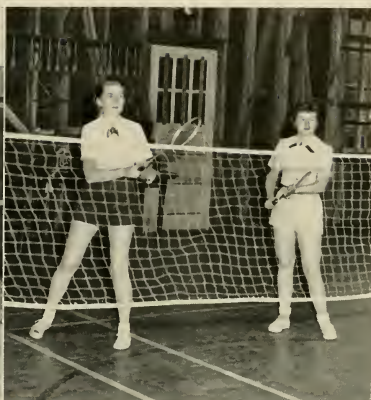
Archery

BETTY LANE, *Manager*



Tennis

MARY JEAN WEST, *Manager*



Badminton

ADELE BUENING, *Manager*



Folk Dance

KATHERINE JAMES, *President*



Hoof-Print Club

OFFICERS

NANCY JOHNSON.....	<i>President</i>
JANE SEATE.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
SALLY DEAN.....	<i>Secretary</i>
LILLIAN WOOTEN.....	<i>Treasurer</i>

"Love me, love my horse." This is the unwritten motto of each member of the Hoof-Print Club. In their pine-paneled club house they stay busy the year round, planning wonderful trips through the scenic bridle-paths that surround the college. In the fall the club of some twenty-five members sponsors a gymkhana and in the spring, a horse show. Other activities include participation in the Palio Parade and a delightful breakfast ride given by Mr. Zeno Martin.

The inspiration of the Hoof-Print members is their sponsor and instructor, Mrs. Miriam T. Hitt.



Activities
Organizations

Student Government Association



MARIE EDWARDS
President

Democratic campus living is the goal toward which the Student Government Association of Meredith College directs its efforts. With a finger on the campus pulse, the council attempts to anticipate needs, and works towards the understanding and possible integration of all college life.

This year has seen a re-emphasis on the honor code and its operation in all phases of college experience. A special half-week was set aside for discussions and for talks from visiting speakers. Open student body meetings, in which problems and interpretations of rules were freely discussed, have given a feeling of unity to the campus.

Each week the council has met in the new student government room. House Council meetings and office hours during which suggestions can be voiced precede the regular meeting time. Meetings with the Faculty Committee on Student Government have brought about a sharing of interpretations and viewpoints of student matters.

An addition to the membership of the council this year has been the Chairman of Social Standards, whose work is the promotion of a well-rounded social life on the campus. Co-operating with near-by colleges, the chairman arranges for attendance of Meredith girls at such functions as the Wake Forest football game, the State College dorm dances and pep rallies, and for "get-togethers" at the recreation center. A still more important phase of her work is looking into the needs and aims of all extra-curriculum activities.

The Student Government Association is the voice of the students. Each member of the campus family must apply to her life the principles underlying Meredith; each member of the council must feel the interests and needs of the campus she represents. Student Government reaches out into all phases of the college community and seeks to bring the integration of Christian harmony into campus life.



Freshman and Transfer Counselors

"Oh dear, what bewildering world have I stepped into?" This question of beginning students at Meredith soon changes to "College is so much fun! How could I ever have been so confused!"

One of the reasons for this change is the work of the freshman and transfer counselors. On their arrival, the new students are greeted by their counselors, who continue to guide them through Orientation Week. From that time, the work of the counselors branches out into personal visits during the year, in addition to the regular monthly meeting. Such topics as the honor code, social graces, Meredith traditions, and vocations are discussed.

Our main wish and reward is that we have done our part to make the ideals of Meredith theirs.



ANNE CREECH
President



Baptist Student Union



MARY EVELYN BROWN
President

The Baptist Student Union of Meredith College is composed of all Meredith students who are active in church life. The union has as its steering committee an executive council, which, in co-operation with the Director of Religious Activities, plans and presents a program providing opportunities for worship, study, and action. Vespers and Family Altar provide opportunities for worship; study groups on the campus and in the Raleigh churches, opportunities for individual growth; and the missionary organization, the Y.W.A., opportunities for action. Once each year leaders in Christian living are invited to the campus for what is known as Religious Focus Week or Religious Emphasis Week. The purpose of this week is to deepen the spiritual life of every individual on the campus.

The Baptist Student Union is using for its theme in 1951-1952 "Abundant Living in Christ," with the hope that Meredith students will feel its urgency and will respond with Christ-centered lives.



OFFICERS

(Baptist Student Union Council)

MARY EVELYN BROWN.....	<i>President</i>
JEAN DULA.....	<i>1st Vice-President</i>
LOUISE STEWART.....	<i>2nd Vice-President</i>
MARY ANN WESTBROOK.....	<i>3rd Vice-President</i>
DORIS ALLEN.....	<i>Secretary</i>
SYLVIA DEANS.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
DOROTHY THOMAS.....	<i>Y.W.A. President</i>
MARTHA STALLINGS.....	<i>Sunday School Director</i>
JANET STALLINGS.....	<i>Training Union Director</i>
JEANETTE LEOPARD.....	<i>Publicity Editor</i>
DOROTHY HAMPTON.....	<i>Publicity Artist</i>
MARJORIE BARNES.....	<i>Music Chairman</i>
LUCY ANN LIDDY.....	<i>Arrangements Chairman</i>
BETTY JO WELCH.....	<i>Program Chairman</i>
BILLIE R. PRUYN.....	<i>Director of Religious Activities</i>



MAKING BIG PLANS



RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK

REV. J. C. HERRIN



OFF TO CHURCH



VESPER TIME



The Philaretia Society

PHILARETIAN OFFICERS

BETTY JO SMITH.....	<i>President</i>	META MAE WILLIAMS.....	<i>Secretary</i>
NANCY HOUSE.....	<i>Vice-President</i>	BOOTSIE RENFRO.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
ELINOR AVERRE.....	<i>Sergeant-at-Arms</i>		



BETTY JO SMITH
President

"Welcome" signs and Phido, our mascot, were on hand to greet the freshmen when they arrived last fall. A few days later, the Phi Bonfire was given at the Hut with the State Sigma Chis furnishing special entertainment for the evening. Another highlight of the week was the Phi Fashion Show, which introduced our old members to the new students. This week was no sooner ended than Rush Week was upon us. The activities of rush days consisted of waking up the freshmen with Phi songs, giving out favors, illustrating the story of "Purple Locks and the Three Bears," serving Phi Juice, providing the Supper Club entertainment, and forming the Phi shield by candle light. The "Great Day" finally arrived, and the Phis won for the second consecutive year.

Our year has been a very eventful one, with teas, square dances, lectures, making new draperies for the hall, and business meetings. Old and new students alike have enjoyed participating in society activities this year.

May our motto "Plain living and high thinking" serve those who stay, as well as it has served those of us who go.



The Astro Society

ASTROTEKTON OFFICERS

BARBARA SCHETTLER	<i>President</i>	MIRIAM ALLEN	<i>Secretary</i>
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CHARLEEN SWANZEY	<i>Sergeant-at-Arms</i>		

"He builds too low who builds beneath the stars" has always set the standard for the Astrotekton Society. Our motto is a challenge to every member—not to win or lose—but a challenge to do her best for Meredith, for her society, and for herself.

Rush Week is a necessary part, but only a part, of the activities of the society. Though we treasure the memories of ringing cheers, morning serenades, and a burning star, Rush Week was only a prelude to a wonderful year of working and playing under the ideals of Mother Astro. We ate spaghetti, got cricks at slumber parties, made Astro Hall into a "living" room; but we discovered a world not bounded by the limits of the Meredith campus nor of the year '52.



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The Oak Leaves

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Smitty, Dott! Oh, for goodness' sake! Patsy, have you seen my little black notebook? How am I going to know when those pictures are to be made? Dr. Cooper is waiting for me now. Barbara, have you that picture schedule for



me? You didn't know—"Why editors get gray?" (At this point I should like to offer my apologies to all those who think I have been unfriendly. I didn't mean to ignore anyone in the scramble; I really didn't see you.)

Anything happens on the average day of an editor who is trying to meet that first deadline. Suddenly she finds that there is a lull and the staff is sitting idly by. Bingo, the fireworks begin! How could this happen to us? Three days to get the copy in and nothing done. Get the midnight oil ready! Call the staff together and start the assembly line rolling! It certainly is nice to know we have a fine reliable staff.

Ours is not an easy job, but we of the staff feel it is a very rewarding one. Our ideas have been inspired by all of you; we have gone ahead because of a desire to give you an annual you like; our reward is your pleasure. We do hope that this, the '52 OAK LEAVES, has pleased everyone of you in some small way and, in pleasing you, has made a book that, while not perfect, will be for you a permanent reminder of your life at Meredith for the year 1951—1952. Last of all, we thank you for your help and co-operation—especially the unmentioned, who have given of their time and effort.



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The Acorn

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This year *The Acorn* has done something a little different—the size, the cover, and the paper of the magazine have all been changed. The staff sincerely hopes you have liked these changes.

But things like size and paper are just outward appearances. Essentially *The Acorn* has remained the same—an expression of what Meredith thinks and dreams and hopes. We of the staff have done our best to bring you the best of each type of expression, be it short stories, poems, book reviews, or art work. There's just one thing to remember: the staff doesn't write *The Acorn*. We merely collect material and see that it is all put together in a magazine. The real creators of *The Acorn* are you, the readers.



PAT DULA
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The Twig, a bi-weekly publication, is the official newspaper of the students of Meredith College. Providing an outlet for student and faculty opinions, recording current campus events, and presenting features of general interest are among the aims of *The Twig*.

The paper also serves as a teaching agent. Staff members learn how to co-operate with printers and advertisers and and to assume the responsibilities that business relationships require.

Lasting friendships are molded and experience is gained as the staff members participate in this journalistic activity.



CARLENE KINLAW
Business Manager





Nominating Committee

To carry out democratic procedure at Meredith, our elections are under the direction of the Nominating Committee, which is composed of the presidents of all the major organizations and classes, editors-in-chief of the publications, the college marshal, the Dean of Students and three faculty members chosen by the committee, with the Chief Counselor as chairman. This committee evaluates the qualifications of the nominees for all major campus offices, except class presidencies, before presenting them to be voted upon by the student body.

The Nominating Committee seeks to uphold democratic ideals in student election by sound election procedure and by careful consideration of candidates presented to the student body.

Little Theatre



BARBARA COX HARPER
President

BARBARA COX HARPER.....*President*
ELLEN WESTMORELAND.....*Vice-President*
ELINOR AVERRE.....*Secretary*
BETSY CANNADY.....*Treasurer*

On stage or off stage, with the curtain up or down, the Little Theatre members continued their work unflinching in 1951-1952. The large number of students who participated in the major productions this year is evidence of the work being done by the Little Theatre. In the fall the members produced *Tonight at Eight*, four one-act plays, which included *They're None of Them Perfect*, by Sophie Kerr *The Stronger* by August Strindberg, *The Happy Journey* by Thornton Wilder, and *The Mousetrap* by William Dean Howells. With the coming of the spring, old ideas and new interests blossomed in the Little Theatre. *Ladies in Retirement* was presented by the college group, and *Alice in Wonderland*, by the faculty.

Membership in the Little Theatre is open to enthusiastic students who earn a place on the roll through participation in a major production. There are innumerable committees open to both experienced and non-experienced students. Work is carried on throughout the year in building sets,

in learning make-up, in acting, in doing publicity, costuming, and lighting. Not only does a real drama enthusiast earn full-fledged membership in the Little Theatre organization, but she also earns points toward membership in Alpha Psi Omega, the national honorary dramatic fraternity on the Meredith campus and the ultimate goal of all Little Theatre members.



Little Theatre at Work



"The Mouse Trap"

"They're None of Them Perfect"

Backstage Crew at Work

nd in Action



"The Stronger"

"The Happy Journey"

Making-up is Quite a Job, Eh, Dott?



Day Student Officers

BARBARA BALLENGER *President*

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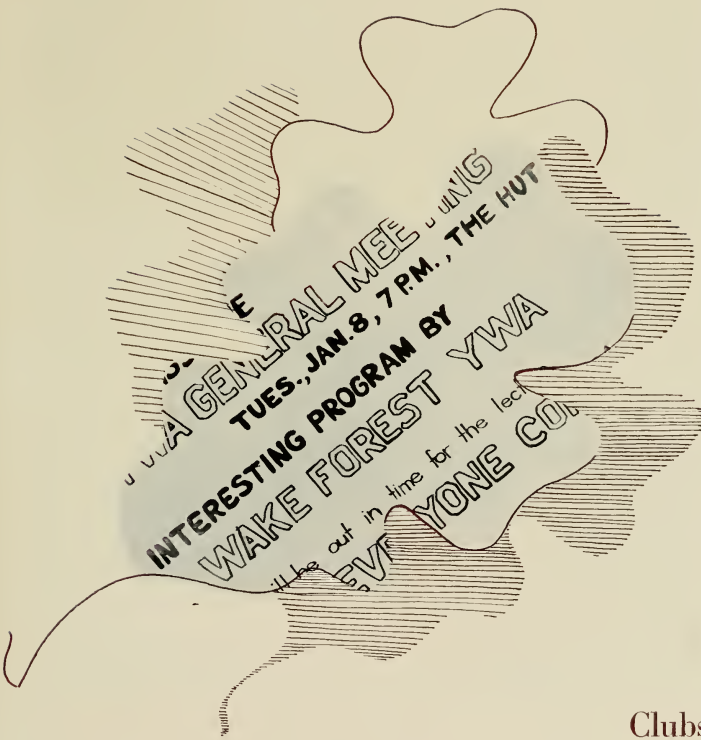
PAT EBERHART *2nd Vice-President*

DORIE ANN ATKINS *3rd Vice-President*

The two rooms designated for the Day Students provide a second home for many Raleigh girls, and even for some from other places.

The proverbial procrastination of the upperclassmen, the eagerness of the freshmen, the bright tempestuous lunch hour, the lockers crowded with precariously balanced books, and the new friendships between day students and resident students add up to a year of pleasant memories.

Because of our strenuous routine—getting up before sunrise, packing our lunch, dragging our books to a bus stop, shifting weight from foot to foot until our ride comes, receiving that “better-late-than-never” look from teachers, and plodding home—we can certainly say that there was never a dull moment. We who are leaving, look back on the years at Meredith with pleasure, and leave the things that go into making a successful college career to those who are left and to those who will come.



A GENERAL MEETING
TUES., JAN. 8, 7 P.M., THE HUT
INTERESTING PROGRAM BY
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EVERYONE COME

Clubs



Education Club

MOLLY BRITT..... *President*

JANE KING..... *Secretary*

ANNE HOLLIS..... *Vice-President*

ANNE REAGAN..... *Treasurer*

Students today—teachers tomorrow. The Meredith Education Club, one of the largest clubs on our campus, seeks to bridge the gap between life as a student and experience as a teacher. The purpose of the club is to acquaint the student of education with aims, objectives, accomplishments, and materials of modern education so as to create in the future teacher a desire to raise the standards of modern education. Our prospective teachers enjoy this opportunity to participate in club activities, which are directed toward building more informed and well-rounded teachers.

Included in our program topics have been studies of several foreign educational systems, of visual aids in education, of mental health in the school, and of many other worthwhile areas concerning the field of professional education. One activity of especial interest was our annual Christmas party for children at the Methodist Orphanage. This year three dramatizations of children's stories were presented and enthusiastically received by our young visitors.

Always there is an emphasis upon the fact that successful teachers are teachers of boys and girls, rather than of mere subject matter.

Home Economics Club

MARY JO SHAW	<i>President</i>	JEANNETTE LEOPARD	<i>Secretary</i>
JANE LUTHER	<i>Vice-President</i>	JANE WILLIAMSON	<i>Treasurer</i>
BETH MORGAN	<i>Reporter</i>		

The members of the Home Economics Club chose the theme "Widening Circles" to guide them in their activities for 1951-1952. Believing that many fields of interest broaden the circle of living, they enjoyed and profited from a wide variety of projects throughout the year.

Club members with unusual summer jobs explained the joy and value of a useful occupation; there were programs on campus courtesy and better speech; and a fashion show presented in chapel re-emphasized the opportunities in the clothing field. Highlights for the year included a tea for the high school students, continued contacts with foreign friends, and, finally, the service of the Betty Lamp. with the induction of the seniors into the American Home Economics Association, all of which added a wide ripple to the club's circle of hope for the future.





Canaday Mathematics Club

ZETA MORTON *President*

MILDRED SIMPSON *Secretary-Treasurer*

JEAN MASON *Vice-President*

CAMILLE THOMAS *Reporter*

A high school math teacher once said, "Only the brave girls take math." The members of the Canaday Math Club are proving they are not sissies! The interest they have shown in the activities of the club—visiting the State College Statistics Laboratory and the Morehead Planetarium—have manifested that they are putting up a good fight to equal or surpass their brothers in the field. One of the most interesting discussions of the year concerned the many and varied paths a math major can take.

The purpose of the club, to promote interest in mathematics and to provide information on current applications, has been realized in the activities of the club for the year.

Barber Science Club

JANE DILLARD.....	<i>President</i>	MELROSE CANADAY.....	<i>Secretary</i>
SHIRLEY CLIATT.....	<i>Vice-President</i>	JUANITA IPOCK.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
PENINA BOWDEN.....	<i>Reporter</i>		

If your knowledge of a camera is meager indeed, or if you have never peered at a live starfish, the Barber Science Club can offer you new experiences.

During the year we hear talks by outside speakers and by our own students, which acquaint us with late developments in science. We also take pictures and develop them in our own dark-room. We enjoy a party at Christmas and, in the spring, a picnic honoring the members of the club who are seniors. Field trips have included a visit to the Planetarium at Chapel Hill and tours of the hospital and of the medical school at Duke University.

In the spring we look forward to the trip to the Duke University Marine Laboratory in Beaufort, North Carolina, where we collect and photograph such marine plants and animals as green and red seaweeds, ghost crabs, and large jellyfish.

Members of the club are majors in science and those who elect advanced science courses. Through its varied activities, the club endeavors to give its members a better knowledge and understanding of their environment.



International Relations Club

MARTHA HOLLAND *President* BARBARA SCHETTLER *Vice-President*
FRANCENE KING BARBER *Secretary-Treasurer*

The International Relations Club has a definite purpose on our campus. Although we do not consider ourselves rivals of Eleanor Roosevelt, we do try to foster international good-will, as well as study America's relations with other nations.

Our programs include informal talks by guest speakers, panel discussions, and various other forms of entertainment. The most important and exciting events are the exchange meetings with the International Relations Club chapters at Wake Forest, Shaw, Duke, State, and other colleges. The climax of our year comes in May when we have a meeting and picnic with the Student League of Women Voters.

Under the able leadership of Dr. Wallace, our sponsor, we have had a most successful year.





Student League of Women Voters

LYNETTE ADCOCK *President* GRACE POW *Vice-President*
 ELEANOR HENRY *Secretary-Treasurer*

The Meredith Student League of Women Voters was organized on the campus in the spring of 1930 with the purpose of encouraging a more intelligent interest in local and national affairs, and of helping each member to become a better citizen. Each year representatives of the group are elected to the North Carolina State Student Legislature, before which they present one or more bills. The League also encourages Meredith students to practice absentee voting and in other ways attempts to help them become capable voters, lawmakers, and office-holders.

Tomorrow's Business Women

KATHLEEN CHRISCOE *President*

EDITH BRADLEY *Vice-President*

DOROTHY STELL *Secretary*

JANNE DAWSON *Treasurer*

DORIE ATKINS *Program Chairman*

REBECCA EDGE *Reporter*

Tomorrow's Business Women seeks to promote and to encourage interest in business education and business administration, and to develop those qualities which are needed for success in the business world.

This year, the programs, planned by Dorie Atkins, the program chairman, have effectively carried out the theme, "Enlightenment for Your Future." These programs have been varied through the co-operation of outside speakers, of a Wake Forest Business fraternity, by the student fashion show, and by the Christmas party in the Hut.





MacDowell Music Club

LOIS PRITCHETT.....*President* ESTELLE WALKER.....*Vice-President*
 GLYNDORA BENNER.....*Secretary-Treasurer*

Membership in the MacDowell Music Club is open to anyone who is interested in music and in the promotion of interest in music on the Meredith campus. Our programs consist of reviews of future concerts, discussions of current music events, and performances by visiting artists as well as by our members. Through our programs we strive to broaden our musical knowledge and to stay informed of coming music events. The club is a member of the North Carolina Federation of Music Clubs and is under the sponsorship of Mr. Stuart Pratt.

Meredith College Chorus

Directed by BEATRICE DONLEY

JEAN MILLER *President*
BETTY JO SMITH *Vice-President*
MARJORIE BARNES, ELLEN WESTMORELAND
Secretaries
DRU MORGAN *Treasurer*

CAROLYN BRADY, BARBARA MORRIS. *Librarians*
JOAN NEIGHBORS,
NANCY DOHERTY. *Accompanists*

The Meredith College Chorus has enjoyed another successful year, with representatives from every major field on the campus numbered in its group of eighty voices.

During the year the chorus made special appearances both for the Founders' Day service and for the broadcast; for the traditional Christmas concert, the annual spring concert, and the Baccalaureate services. Smaller ensembles from the chorus sang on many occasions, among which was the Baptist Student Convention in Charlotte. A spring concert ended the activities for the year.

Singing in a spirit of friendship and enjoyment, the chorus has learned to appreciate more fully the classic as well as the modern in music.





MENC

BARBARA MORRIS.....*President* LOUISE STEWART.....*Secretary-Treasurer*

The Meredith Chapter of the Music Educators' Conference is a comparatively new organization on our campus. During the spring term of 1951 those girls interested in music education organized themselves under the direction of Miss Forrestine Whitaker, music instructor and head of the Public School Music Department. The group includes, primarily, girls who are student teaching or planning a teaching career in the field of music. This year the MENC has sponsored several panel discussions at which authorities in this field of teaching have been guest speakers. It is in such an organization that ideas and problems in the music teaching profession are discussed and considered.

Freeman Religion Club

MARTHA STALLINGS.	<i>President</i>	RUTH BARNES.	<i>Secretary</i>
LUCYANN LIDDY.	<i>Vice-President</i>	JANET STALLINGS.	<i>Treasurer</i>
JEAN BATTEN.		<i>Publicity Chairman</i>	

In endeavoring to promote its purpose of studying the problems, techniques, and current trends in the field of religion, the Freeman Religion Club has placed emphasis this year upon Christian missions, religious literature, and the place of Christian young people in the world today.

At our first meeting, Mrs. Flora Freeman of India increased our knowledge of the missionary work done in that country as she spoke concerning the relation of Christianity to Hinduism. She concluded by displaying the various costumes worn in India. Next we turned our thoughts toward China as Lillian Lu, one of our own students, brought us some information about her native land. Later Dr. Hubert Potcat of the Latin Department at Wake Forest College presented his reading of *Green Pastures*. The entire student body was invited to this meeting as our guests. Beverly Neilson, a 1950 graduate of Wake Forest College, enlarged our vision of the religious work offered young people by relating to us her experiences as State Baptist Student Union summer missionary to Hawaii.





“Mrs.” Club

CAROLINE CHILDRESS *President*

PHYLLIS STRICKLAND *Vice-President*

MARTHA MARTIN *Secretary*

VIRGINIA McGRANAHAN *Treasurer*

The membership of the “MRS.” club is naturally limited to the select few who are lucky enough to have that certain ring on the third finger of the left hand. In the monthly meetings we shared budget hints, problems, time-saving ideas, and recipes, which we immediately took home to try out on our husbands.

At our socials, we had wonderful times getting to know the husbands better, eating our own concoctions, playing bridge, and just gabbing. The highlights of the year were the Christmas party, which featured a visit from Saint Nick, the hen parties, the get-together following the Junior-Senior Banquet, and the tea given for all Meredith “engagees,” our prospective members.

We feel that this club will be a permanent campus organization because—marriage is here to stay!



Colton English Club

JEAN JOYNER.....*President*
 MARILYN MORRISSETTE.....*Vice-President*
 BARBARA HALE.....*Secretary-Treasurer*

ALLEN HART.....*Browsing Room Chairman*
 PHYLLIS NOTTINGHAM.....*Reporter*
 DR. JULIA H. HARRIS.....*Faculty Sponsor*

"I wish I knew more about contemporary writers." "Some modern poetry is as hard to interpret as modern art." "I should like to hear some of the poetry and prose written by our own students!"

Statements such as these heard on the Meredith campus caused the Colton English Club to choose modern literature as its subject of study for this year. Student interest in the subject was proved at our first meeting when the Julia Hamlet Harris Browsing Room, where our meetings are held, was filled to overflowing, and our membership was more than tripled! All year the members of the club remained enthusiastic and returned to hear programs on modern literature given by members of the faculty, by students, and by visiting speakers. At one of our meetings Meredith students and their friends read some of their own poetry.

The Colton English Club this year also sponsored several "Book Teas." At these we came together to discuss books—both modern and classic—which we had read recently, and we all left inspired to read some of the exciting books discussed!

The German Club

CAROLYN BRADY *President* MELBA BARBOUR *Vice-President*

MIRIAM ALLEN *Secretary-Treasurer*

The German Club is only one year old, but its members feel that it will grow in the future as it has grown in its initial year. Membership is open to all who are studying, or have studied, German. The club seeks to create and establish a broader interest in the German people and their language. Our programs include participation in German songs and folk dances, talks by guest speakers, and movies. The most enjoyable event of the year is our Christmas party at the Freunds' home, representing a typical German Christmas.





Granddaughters' Club

BARBARA BONE *President*

MARY ANN CASEY *Vice-President*

NANCY JOHNSON *Secretary*

CELIA WOOD *Treasurer*

DORIS KNOTT *Reporter*

CATHERINE McRACKAN } *Co-Chairmen of*
REBECCA McRACKAN } *Needlework Guild*

In 1930, a small group of girls found themselves "uniquely distinctive" from the rest of the student body and banded together to form the Granddaughters' Club. Since that date, every year brings a new crop of girls who recognize their right to membership in this club. That privilege comes only when a girl's own mother or grandmother was a student at Meredith. While there is always interest in the heritage each girl brings from her mother to the club and Meredith, the Granddaughters do not confine themselves to social gatherings for talk: they sponsor many interesting and educational programs throughout the year, one of which is the collection, in co-operation with the Needlework Guild of clothes, or contributions to buy clothes, for needy children.

This year the club is proud of a further distinction—it claims its first great-granddaughter, Betsy Brooks McGee, whose mother and maternal grandmother both attended Meredith.

Sociology Club

HONORE PARKER *President*

BETTY FINKLEA *Secretary-Treasurer*

LOUISE HORNE *Vice-President*

PAT DULA *Reporter*

"Study to Serve" expresses the motivating spirit behind the Meredith Sociology Club. We like people, and our interest centers in working with them and for them. The Sociology Club gives us a chance to understand people, for in our meetings we study various cultural backgrounds, share experiences from social work, and join in discussions led by well-known sociologists. Some club members serve in local agencies while students, and through this study, our aim ultimately becomes "De-part to Serve."

Wherever people are found, the social side of life is important, and our club does not overlook this fact. Joint meetings are held with the sociologists of State College, Wake Forest, and of other nearby schools. This sociological theory is also put into practice at informal "Dutch" luncheons, the Christmas dinner, the April breakfast, and the May picnic.





Psi Chi Club

ANN O'QUINN *President*

SARAH THOMAS *Secretary*

PATSY SPIERS *Vice-President*

CAROLYN LITTLE *Treasurer*

Are you dying to discover the underlying causes of your roommate's idiosyncrasies? Do you spend many perplexed moments trying in vain to learn the reasons for occasional quirks in the personalities of friends? Do you enjoy discussions on hypnotism, dream analysis, and other issues in psychology? Are you interested in the possibilities that psychology can offer you in the future? Then you, my friend, are the kind of creature that belongs, or should belong, to the Psi Chi Club!

We have, in the club, discussions on subjects such as the aforementioned discussions which follow naturally from interest aroused in the classroom. There are also reports on student projects, as well as demonstrations by members of the faculty and by outside speakers. Members of the staff at Dix Hill, the State School for the Blind, Duke University, and the State Woman's Prison have also helped to make our meetings a success. Additional interest is gained through informing visits made to the various institutions in the city.



Honoraries



Sigma Alpha Iota

JEAN MILLER *President*

BARBARA BONE *Vice-President*

CAROLYN BRADY *Secretary*

JANE SLATE *Treasurer*

SHELLEY MILLIGAN *Chaplain*

JOAN NEIGHBORS *Sergeant-at-Arms*

Sigma Alpha Iota, a national professional music fraternity for women, emphasizes the fact that "life is short, but art is long." Members of our chapter, Beta Zeta, are music majors, chosen upon faculty recommendation, for excellence in scholarship, musical ability, and for a vital interest in music. Presenting capable musicians to the public, participating in public performances in our chapter chorus and vespers, and working in the music store are a few of our many activities. The fraternity, a national organization, offers its members social and professional contacts which aid them in enjoying a broader field of music.

Alpha Psi Omega

BETSY CANNADY *President* RUTH ANN SIMMONS *Vice-President*
ELLEN WESTMORELAND *Secretary-Treasurer*

Alpha Psi Omega, the national honorary dramatics fraternity, was organized to recognize those whose work in dramatics on the campus has been beyond "the line of duty." Membership in the Eta Nu chapter at Meredith is won when a student has made fifty points by working in the Little Theatre. These fifty points are given for exceptional work both on-stage and backstage, and to those who hold a certificate of membership the extra work is well worth the effort. For a real enthusiast, winning an Alpha Psi membership is not just hard work—it is the reward for those hours spent in making the footlights shine brighter on each opening night.





Sigma Pi Alpha

BARBARA BALLENGER.....	<i>President</i>	DOTT MILLER.....	<i>Secretary</i>
GRACE AUTRY.....	<i>Vice-President</i>	JULIA PRESSON.....	<i>Treasurer</i>

The Phi Kappa Chapter of Sigma Pi Alpha seeks "to stimulate an interest in, and to acquire a more intimate knowledge of, the geography, people, life, customs, history, industries, and culture of foreign countries, and to make a contribution towards bringing about a better understanding between these countries and ours."

Membership is determined by scholastic achievement and interest in foreign languages.

The chapter has established the policy of four programs a year: a tea for foreign students in the educational institutions of Raleigh; a Christmas party with the local chapters of Sigma Pi Alpha; joint initiation with the Alpha chapter at State College; and a formal dinner with a talk on an international situation by a guest speaker.



Features



J. Miller, Adcock, M. Barnes, Stell

Phi Marshals



F. King, Crenshaw, J. Fisher, Frye

Astro Marshals



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ASHA FARRIOR

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Junior Attendants



JOANNE BROWN



ELIZABETH CRENSHAW

Sophomore Attendants

MARGARET BRUNSON



JEAN McCONNELL

Freshman Attendants

Class Day '51





The Candid Camera



The Meredith year of 1951-1952 started off like any other college year with freshmen arriving, looking just a little overwhelmed; with sophomores and juniors busy counseling and guiding. For some of us, though, this year began differently. The difference was subtle and yet it was there, like an undercurrent. For some of us this year was our last year at Meredith. We didn't quite realize it until Founders' Day, when the seniors marched down the aisle in caps and gowns—and we were the seniors.

Still the year advanced like the other college years we had known. Rush week came, and with it, scurrying groups of society members bearing gifts for freshmen and transfers; drowsy-eyed girls sloshing through the early-morning dew to sing under dormitory windows; beneath gala balloons and garlands of purple and gold crepe paper eating doughnuts at breakfast on Decision Day. But Decision Day brought a change—the Phi's won for the second time in as many years, something rather unusual in school annals.

Founders' Day produced the usual exuberance over no afternoon classes, the usual excitement



over the unfamiliar caps and gowns, and the usual settling down as Dr. Mary Lynch Johnson made the yesterday behind Meredith's today live again for us, and as Dr. Winston Pearce, pastor of First Baptist Church in Durham in quoting lovely words from Robert Frost made us realize our responsibilities.

After Founders' Day, the year sort of drifted along into deep autumn. Every Saturday the campus was deserted—since most of the girls were away cheering the eleven of the b. f.'s alma mater. Corn Huskin' Bee brought forth gap-toothed farmers in jeans, farmerettes with too much rouge on their cheeks and petticoat lace drooping an inch or so beneath hemlines. The faculty corn huskin' team was graced by an addition, the new faculty member from the Eronx (you can tell he's a Yankee—the man just can't shuck corn!).



Somehow or other Thanksgiving had rolled around, and we all journeyed homeward to partake of that "Home-cookin'." And we all came back with that stuffed look, the result of too much turkey and too many biscuits.

Then suddenly it was time for Christmas. The music that Elsie played at dinner was accompanied by the sound of silver striking glass, and the air rang with happy voices shouting, "Two more days 'til vacation, and the bus will carry us

home!” There was the yearly excitement over the dining hall tree, and everybody felt a mad desire to pick the silvered berries destined for decorations just because Miss Lou’s little signs told us not to. We all dressed in our best for the formal dinner, and later changed to our



wo st (but warmest) to go caroling. We sang “God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen,” but nobody rested much, merry or otherwise, that night—if “they” say we can stay up all night, we’re gonna stay up all night!

After Christmas the time before exams was just too short for the amount of work we had to do. Furtive bathroom lights flickered late at night, and the lunch-line standees were a studious bunch. But finally exams were over, and the between-semesters holiday was all too short before we were back in the old grind again.

Second semester, as always, seemed to fly. Gradually spring came to the campus. Shouts of “Slide, slide!” drifted from the softball diamond; the pool was opened and members of swimming classes stood dabbling their toes in that co-o-ld water; a few hardy souls ventured out onto the porches in shorts and halters, determined to get an early start on sunbaths. This spring was marked by Palio and Stunt. Somehow it was harder to work on costumes, et cetera, with spring fever germs floating around in the air.



In February came the faculty presentation of *Alice in Wonderland*. We didn’t know that Meredith possessed such a talented faculty! The play was a tribute to Miss Mayes’ directing; as to the individual perform-

ances, we couldn't single out any one for special praise. Every member of the cast played his (or her) role to perfection, as attested by howls of laughter from the audience. Mrs. Kelman made a delightful Alice; the Blue Caterpillar valiantly smoked his/her hookah throughout the performance; the voice of the Queen shouted magnificently, if somewhat indiscriminately, "Off with his head!" the King, only slightly hen-pecked exhibited a polished courtly manner; the Gryphon and the Mock Turtle, the Mad Hatter, the March Hare, the drowsy Dormouse, the rotund Humpty-



Dumpty, the squeaky-voiced Cheshire Cat, the tearful Walrus, the red-nosed Carpenter, the plumpish and captivating Tweedledum and Tweedledee, the Duchess with her piglet-child, the pepper-slinging cook—all were masterpieces of hilarity. And what fun we had trying to decide which faculty member played which Wonderland inhabitant! "That can't be Dr. Harris saying 'I ain't done nothin' to nobody,' can it?" "I certainly didn't know Dr. Canaday could clog like that!" "I wonder if Miss Fleming got sick smoking that contraption for two hours?" These were typical comments. Our thanks went to the faculty—we hadn't laughed so hard and so long in ages!

May Day rolled around with Peggy and Asha making lovely rulers of the May, tra-la. The campus was crowded with visiting high school seniors.

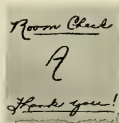
Then came exams again, preceded by term papers, catching up on those assignments you somehow neglected to do and which had to be handed in, and last-minute cramming. Commencement and all the excitement it entails held sway, and suddenly, strangely, it was all over. Another year had gone. The college year 1951-1952 was only a memory.





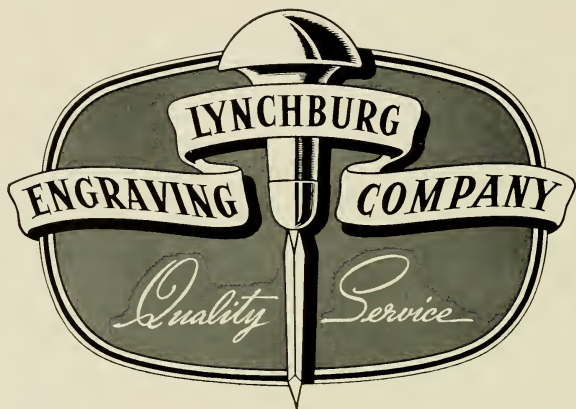
beside the porches and near the class buildings; the day you actually got "A" on room check; the time Dr. Harris whispered, "Listen!" and a bird's silver notes floated into the midst of a discussion on the Aristotelian theory of tragedy; the riotous p. j. parties; Dr. Canaday's stentorian voice booming "Erase!" echoing through the Arts Building.

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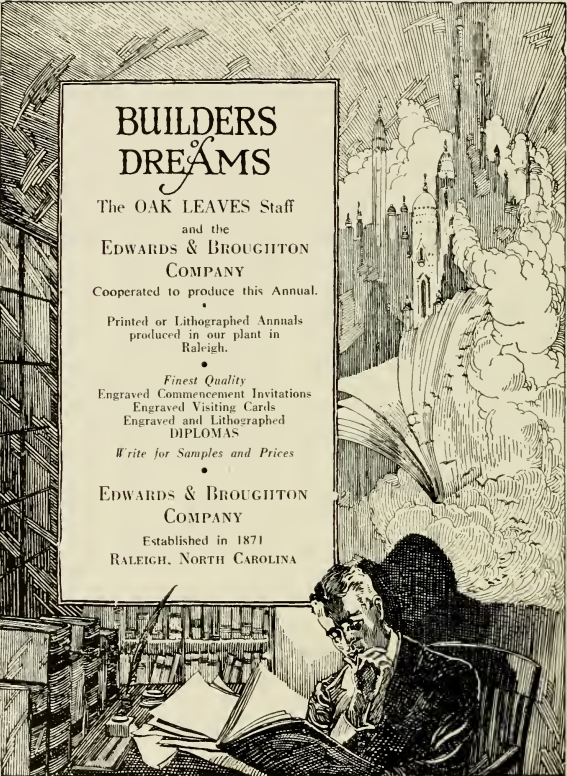
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